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]	right?		between Danny Vasquez and Ray Dominguez, they were both within arm's length of you; is that right?
2	A. I think so.	3	A. Yes.
3	Q. Okay. Were you positioning yourself on that concrete bus bench, or were you leaning over	4	Q. Dustin Dillard, though, probably was out of
4	him? How would you describe how you were moving his	5	arm's length?
5		6	A. Yeah. So he would have been in front and
6	legs?  A. So so the bench was to my right I	7	to the left of me (indicating).
7	took the mic off.	8	Q. You would have if you could reach him,
8	Q. Oh, yeah. Take yeah. Take a moment to	9	you would have had to literally stretch or fall onto
9		10	Tony in order to reach
10	repost it.  A. So the bench was to my right, and his feet	11	A. I think so.
11	were just barely under the lip of it, so bringing his	12	Q Dustin Dillard; is that right?
12	feet up and out of from under the bench was	13	A. I've got long arms. I probably could have
13	possible.	1	reached over there, but, yeah.
14	Q. Okay. And so you raised his ankle to your	14	Q. Okay. But he wouldn't have been he
15	body, and that's how you were able to put the	15	wasn't like 2 feet from you. He would have been
16	flex-cuffs around his ankle?	16	something on the order
17	A. Yeah. I don't remember if I raised it or	17	A. Probably 3 feet.
18		18	Q. Three to 4 feet maybe?
	9	19	A. Yes, sir.
20	raising them himself.	20	
21	Q. Okay.  A. But they were definitely they weren't up	21	Q. You have probably a 37-inch sleeve length or something like that?
22	against my body, but they weren't on the ground	23	A. Something like that, I guess.
23	either.	24	Q. Okay. The okay. So after you get the
<ul><li>24</li><li>25</li></ul>	Q. Okay. They were elevated	I	flex-cuffs on Tony, is it then you did anybody
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]	A. Yes.	1	tell you, Go go search the vehicle, or how did
2	Q is that right?	2	•
3	And but you mentioned you pulled	3	A. So after the handcuffs I mean after the
4	them because and brought your body you know,	4	leg restraints were on, I stood up. I remembered he
5	kind of like you're pulling a ball in if you're	5	had kicked me on my thumb, so I had (indicating), you
6	catching a football to assert greater control over	6	know, shook it out, as they call it. And I was in
7	it?	7	possession of the keys. I don't remember what time I
8	A. I think so. I'm not really sure.	8	gave the phone to somebody, but I gave it to
9	Q. Okay. But his legs came up, you know that	9	3 13 11
10	much?		securing the car.
11	A. Yes. Yes, sir.	11	MR. HENLEY: Okay. So I'm going to
12	Q. Okay. And you didn't get out there and	12	object to anything nonresponsive to my question
13	measure it with a protractor as to whether it was	13	regarding who sent you to the car, whether you did it
14	90 degrees or 45 degrees or 60 degrees or anything	14	on your own.
15	like that?	15	Q. (By Mr. Henley) Did you do you know if
16	A. I did not.	16	you're the one who made the decision to go search the
17	Q. But his legs were elevated, right?	17	car, or did Sergeant Mansell say
18	A. Yes.	18	A. I made the decision.
19	Q. Undoubtedly so, right?	19	Q. Okay. And did anybody say tell you
20	A. Yes.	20	
21	Q. Okay. And during that process you were not	21	A. The security guard when I first got there
22	paying attention to the positioning of Dustin Dillard	22	told me where the car was.
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22	or Danny Vasquez; is that right?	23	Q. Okay. And so but you didn't go
	or Danny Vasquez; is that right?  A. That is correct.	24	immediately to the car. You went to the officers

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Q. Okay. Danny Vasquez would -- I guess

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Page 41 Page 43 A. I don't -- I took it back to the -- I gave A. Correct. Q. -- went to look for the car after that; is it to Sergeant Mansell. 2 Q. Okay. And do you know if that medication 3 that right? container that -- was booked into custody or not? A. Correct. Q. Okay. When you went to the car, you had A. I do not. the car keys. Do you know who it was who gave you Q. Okay. And so you don't know if that the car keys? container was -- the contents of that container were A. No. tested either, would you? Q. It was one of the security guards? A. No, sir. A. One of the security guards, yes. Q. Okay. But you definitely did not book that 10 10 container into evidence, right? Q. You then go through the car, and you found 11 11 12 I guess some Advil. Was that -- was that the A. Correct. 12 Q. But you were the one who seized it, right? over-the-counter container there? 13 A. Correct. A. Yeah, it was something over the counter. 14 Q. You gave it to Sergeant Mansell, and you Q. Okay. But you also found some prescription 15 don't know what happened to it after that, right? drug -- drugs -- or drugs in there; is that right? 16 A. I do not. I asked Sergeant Mansell to --A. It was just the one. 17 just to make sure that the medicine went with the 18 Q. Okay. Do you know what it was that patient to the hospital. You know, I didn't want prescription was for? them giving him something that would interact with A. I do not. 20 21 Q. Okay. You never read what it was on your whatever he took or was supposed to be taking, so that's the reason why I brought the medicine back to 22 body cam, correct? 23 the scene. A. I did not. 23 24 Q. Okay. And you gave it to Mansell? Q. Okay. And you didn't like position the 24 25 A. Yes, sir. label in front of the camera or anything like that, Page 42 Page 44 Q. So when I was watching the footage, I saw correct? 1 2 you put one or two items into the console. Do you A. I might have. I was mostly looking for a 2 3 remember seeing -- do you remember putting some items name. I don't know. Q. Okay. Would you -- were you looking for 4 in the console? any particular kind of medication that you were A. Well, only the things that I took out. suspecting to find or anything like that? Q. Okay. A. No. I was -- I mean, prescription meds, A. So I had lifted some stuff to look further 7 8 down. I found the big bottle that was like a -- I that's what I was looking for. 9 think a CVS. I think it was ibuprofen. And -- you Q. Okay. 10 know, and then when I found the medicine, I looked to A. No particular medicine, because, I mean, 11 see if there was any other prescription meds. So 11 I'm not -- I don't know. Q. You're not a pharmacologist, right? whatever I had taken out, I did put back in. 12 A. Right. Q. Okay. So the items that you put back or 13 Q. And you're not a neurologist or a 14 put in the console were items that you had removed 15 psychiatrist, correct? 15 from the console? A. Correct. A. Yes. 16 16 Q. But you were looking for some sort of 17 Q. And that was the console in the center prescription drug associated with mental -- some kind between the driver's seat and the passenger's seat, 18 of mental condition; is that right? 19 right? A. Any condition. 20 A. Ycs. Q. Okay. And did the container that you 21 21 Q. Okay. Was there anything in the driver's found, did it have any pills or tablets or capsules 22 scat that you retrieved? 22 23 in it? 23 A. No, I don't think so.

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Q. Okay. All right. And so is it your

25 testimony that you -- there were only two containers,

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A. Yes.

Q. Okay. And was it taken into custody?

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Page 45 Page 47 1 one prescription and one over-the-counter? 1 I know you don't -- when you're out in the field you A. I believe so. If there was -- if there was 2 don't have a stopwatch on your utility belt, right? 3 more prescription bottles, I would have checked, and A. Correct. 4 if they were the same, then I would have just taken Q. But your -- you do have -- we all live in 5 the same world and we can count. I mean, you grew up 5 the one with the pills in it. playing football, didn't you? Q. Okay. You took those items -- or you took 7 the prescription container back and you gave it to A. Sure. Sergeant Mansell, right? Q. And you know what one Mississippi, two A. Yes, sir. Mississippi, three Mississippi means, right? Q. And Sergeant Mansell, when you approached 10 A. Yes. 11 him, he told you Tony Timpa just died; is that right? 11 Q. By the time it takes you to say one A. Yes, sir. Mississippi, that's about a second; is that right? 13 Q. And then what did you do next? 13 A. I looked at the ambulance. I saw Dominguez 14 Q. And I don't assume that you've ever had 15 doing a chest thrust, and then I think I turned my 15 your knee in the back of somebody for like 500 16 camera off after that. Mississippi? 16 Q. Okay. Now, when you drove up on the scene, 17 MS. GOWIN: Object to form. 18 had you any idea how long Dustin Dillard had been on A. Correct. 18 19 top of Tony Timpa? Q. (By Mr. Henley) You probably -- maybe you 19 might have had your knee in somebody's back for like 20 A. No, sir. maybe 10 or 15 Mississippi? 21 Q. When you drove up on the scene, had you 21 22 known how long Danny Vasquez was on Dustin Dillard 22 MS. GOWIN: Object to form. 23 (sic)? 23 A. Correct. 24 A. No, sir. 24 Q. (By Mr. Henley) Would that be the longest 25 Q. Your training is that when you do a 25 period of time? Page 46 Page 48 1 takedown, you're not supposed to have a knee in A. As long as it takes to handcuff someone, I 2 somebody's back for a prolonged period of time; is would imagine. that right? Q. Okay. And that's about 10 to 15 seconds is 3 A. Yes, sir. probably about the longest it takes to handcuff Q. And in your mind, prolonged period of time somebody; is that right? is anything over, what, 30 seconds? A. Yes. 6 MS. GOWIN: Objection, calls for 7 7 MS. GOWIN: Object to form. 8 speculation. I'm sorry. Object to form. Sorry 8 Q. (By Mr. Henley) If you don't have any about that. resistance, it takes -- or any -- if somebody just offers you up their hands, it probably takes, what, A. No, I don't know. Q. (By Mr. Henley) You would agree with me less than a second; is that -- well, maybe a couple 11 12 that it would be more than a minute, though, right? of seconds? 12 MS. GOWIN: Object to form. A. I would say maybe five seconds, yeah. 14 A. I would -- I don't know. I guess, yes. A Q. Okay. But in this particular case, Tony 15 minute would probably be long enough. Timpa was already handcuffed; is that right? Q. (By Mr. Henley) Okay. Five minutes would A. Correct. 16 17 certainly be long enough, wouldn't it? Q. How much do handcuffs cost? 17 MS. GOWIN: Object to form. A. Mine are \$50 apiece. 18 18 Q. Okay. You said \$50 apiece. Do you have 19 19 Q. (By Mr. Henley) You've never had your knee multiple pairs? 20 21 in somebody's back for longer than two minutes, I A. I do. 21 Q. How many pairs do you have? 22 assume, right? 22 23 A. Correct. 23 Q. Okay. Do you carry two on your belt at all 24 MS. GOWIN: Object to form. 24

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Q. (By Mr. Henley) What's the longest -- and

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Page 57 Page 59 A. Yes, sir. 1 guess you had it in both hands there for a minute. Q. Okay. And your eyesight may be better than A. Yeah, I think I switched hands. Yeah. I 3 mine, but you're also sitting further away from me --3 think that's -- the phone and the keys is what I had. further away from the counter than I am. Q. Okay. That's when -- so somebody -- was 5 it -- did the security guard give them to you at the (Video plays.) Q. (By Mr. Henley) That person who said, I've very beginning -got zip-cuffs, was that Danny Vasquez? A. Yes. Q. -- when you walked up? So before you A. I don't know. walked up to these guys? 9 Q. Okay. A. As soon as I got out of my car, he was 10 (Video plays.) standing there handing me the keys and the phone. 11 Q. (By Mr. Henley) Now, do you know who went 11 and retrieved the zip-cuffs? Q. Okay. All right. Okay. 12 12 (Video plays.) 13 A. I do not. 13 Q. (By Mr. Henley) Okay. Let's -- so you're 14 Q. Okay. 14 15 going through his -- are you going through his wallet 15 (Video plays.) Q. (By Mr. Henley) At this point in time, 16 there? 16 about two -- two minutes and eight seconds, what is 17 A. No. The phone had a pocket in the back. 17 18 Q. Okay. Is that your voice we hear -it that you think that you're doing? 19 A. Yes, sir. 19 A. I don't know. Definitely waiting for 20 the -- for the leg restraints. I think I'm still --Q. -- where it says, "The car is over there"? 21 That's your voice? 21 it looks like I'm still standing up straight. I A. Yes. 22 don't --22 Q. Okay. 23 Q. Okay. 23 24 24 (Video plays.) A. -- but that --Q. (By Mr. Henley) And Sergeant Mansell is 25 25 Q. Okay. Let me play it a little bit and then Page 58 Page 60 1 standing over there against his squad car -- or 1 I'm going to end up -- I'm going to probably 2 against a squad car; is that right? 2 fast-forward it some more. (Video plays.) A. Correct. 3 Q. (By Mr. Henley) Now, you just changed your Q. Okay. And his door is open? A. Yes, it is. 5 position. Q. Okay. Or the car door is open. Do you A. Correct. know if that's his particular unit? Q. Are you sitting on the bench at this point 7 A. I do not, but I would presume that it is. 8 in time? Q. Okay. And he said it's his unit. Okay. A. No. No. I'm kneeling. I guess this is (Video plays.) Vasquez here (indicating), and I'm kneeling behind 10 Q. (By Mr. Henley) Is that when -- somebody him so I could reach around to restrain the legs. 11 12 just asked, Anybody have leg restraints? Is that --12 Q. Okay. was that you who said that? 13 (Video plays.) A. It sounded like me. Q. (By Mr. Henley) Now, moments ago did you 14 14 hear somebody say, "Relax, man, relax"? Q. Okay. 15 A. I don't know if somebody else had asked and A. That was me right now. 16 16 17 then I re-asked the question to the other officers, Q. Oh, that was your voice? 17 but I think that was me. A. Right now? Right now? Just --18 Q. Okay. And that's at -- can you see, by the 19 19 Q. Well, just a second. Wait. Let me play 20 way --20 this. 21 A. I believe so, yeah. 21 Q. Okay. And so periodically when I'm asking 22 (Video plays.) 23 you questions, we're going to refer to the time or Q. (By Mr. Henley) I don't think I've gone 23 24 counter so that it can all be in sync. You 24 far enough. understand that? A. No, you didn't go back far enough.

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2 A. Yeah, then 3 (Video p 4 Q. (By Mr. H 5 relax," was that y 6 A. That's defi 7 Q. Okay. All 8 (Video p	plays.) enley) At 2:12, "Relax, man, ou? nitely me. right.	3 4 5	A. From what I'm seeing, that foot is I would say the knee is on it looks like the knee is on the ground.  (Video plays.) Q. (By Mr. Henley) Okay. But now that it's moving, you can see that his knee is actually on his back; is that right? A. No. Q. Okay.
10 in the background 11 A. I sure did. 12 Q. You sure of 13 A. (Witness in 14 Q. Whose law 15 A. I don't known	lid? lods head.) ghter was that?	10 11	(Video plays.)  MS. GOWIN: One second. What mark what time marker are you at?  MR. HENLEY: Let's see. That was earlier. I'm not sure. You'll have to figure that out.  MS. GOWIN: Okay. Just a rough. Two minutes and
18 Q. Okay. 19 (Video p. 20 Q. (By Mr. H. 21 you're not sitting 22 you're positioned' 23 A. I'm kneeli 24 Q. Kneeling.	enley) So at 2:28, are you on the bench. How did you say	18 19 20 21 22	(Video plays.)  MR. HENLEY: Two someplace between 2:40 and two  MS. GOWIN: That's good.  Q. (By Mr. Henley) But you can't see that right there?  A. Looks like his knee is on his arm.  Q. On his what?
4 might be on his let Q. Okay. An front of you, right A. Yes.  8 Q. Okay. An above him; is that Dillard even in th Dillard even in th I right?  12 A. I think so. 13 (Video p. 14 Q. (By Mr. H. 15 we can actually so. 16 A. I think that That's him.  18 Q. Okay. An foot and his butto right?  21 A. I believe to Q. Okay. An	I think my my right hand gs at this time. d that's Danny Vasquez right in? d then Dillard would have been right? And I don't think we see a frame of your camera; is that	4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14	A. On his elbow. Q. But this isn't you've also noticed that Danny Vasquez and Dillard has their own body camera, right? A. Yes. Q. Okay. Moments ago did you hear somebody say, "Get one set of cuffs off of him"? A. Yeah. I think that was Sergeant Mansell, but Q. Okay. A I'm not sure what he was referring to. Q. Okay. So that was my question, was not so much the identity of the voice, but the idea that there were two cuffs on Timpa at this point in time. Did you did you appreciate that at the time? A. No, I don't I don't Q. Did you did you did you not know that they actually had two pairs of handcuffs on him at that point in time? A. No, I didn't. Q. Okay. Did you did you understand that the reason or one of the stated reasons why Danny Vasquez and Dillard continued to restrain him was to

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1	means you know, indicates or gives clues that they're	1	signs or symptoms of an altered mental state, you as
2	in an altered mental state?	2	an officer, you don't know if that's because they're on
3	MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague. Calls for	3	something or if it's because they're having some sort of
4	speculation.	4	mental health crisis; right?
5	A. Again, you know, what they're doing. Are	5	A. That is correct.
6	are they doing something to trying to harm themselves	6	Q. So you have to you don't have to make that
7	or trying to harm others in the sense that their actions	7	determination right then and there; right? I mean, you
8	are leading to that harm.	8	don't have to make the decision, "Oh, they're on drugs"
9	Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. So give me some	9	versus "Oh, they're having a mental health crisis"?
10	examples.	10	A. No.
11	A. Running in the middle of the street for no	11	Q. You treat that person in the same way, whether
12	apparent reason. Standing near a bridge. Not near a	12	it's somebody that's on drugs or somebody that's having
13	bridge. Standing on the ledge of a bridge. You know,	13	a mental health crisis; right?
14	standing in front of oncoming vehicles purposely, you	14	A. I approach them that way until I figure out
15	know, that kind of nature.	15	what's going on.
16	Q. Anything else? What what are there any	16	Q. So do you recall hearing or asking Mr. Timpa if
17	clues that you can look for in someone's conduct to	17	he was on something?
18	determine if they're under the influence of some kind of	18	A. Yes.
19	substance?	19	Q. Were you one of the officers that was asking
20	A. Oh, that's very variant. It's it's hard to	20	him that?
21	tell. So many drugs.	21	A. Yes.
22	Q. Right. Anything that you look for in	22	Q. And there were also others; right?
23	particular?	23	A. That is correct.
24	MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague. What kind	24	Q. And that question was repeated many times over
25	of drugs? What are you talking about?	25	the course of the restraint; correct?
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1	A. I mean, again, it's based because certain	1	A. That is correct.
2	drugs do certain things to certain people. Not	2	Q. And that is because you suspected that he had
3	everybody reacts the same.	3	taken some kind of substance; right?
4	Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) So you didn't have any	4	A. That is correct.
5	training in your academy training about things to look	5	Q. As a matter of fact, the things he was saying
6	for to determine if someone is under the influence?	6	and the way he was acting were an indication that he had
7	A. I remember them being certain things. Un	7	taken some kind of substance or was in an altered mental
8	what is it? Unhuman like, unhumanly strength. Other	8	state?
9		9	A. Yes.
10	Q. One of the things you you talked about, in	10	Q. Do you remember him ever telling you what he
11	terms of something that would be out of the ordinary		was on?
12		12	A. No.
13	is running in the middle of the street; correct?	13	Q. At the time that you encountered Mr. Timpa, you
14	A. Not that they're under the influence of some		were wearing a body camera?
15		15	A. That is correct.
16	Q. Or that they're in an altered mental state for	16	Q. And Officer Dillard was wearing one, and
	whatever reason?	17	Officer Rivera was wearing one?
18	A. It would lead me to believe, yes, that there's	18	A. I know Dillard was. I'm not sure about
19	some something there.	19	Officer Rivera.
20	Q. Unless, of course, they're in a running a 5K	20	Q. Okay. Well, I'll just I'll just let you

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21 know, he was.

A. Okay.

A. Okay.

Q. We -- we have the body cam footage from

24 those -- from those three body cameras?

Q. So when you encounter somebody that's showing

21 or something, but you're talking about running in the --

22 running in traffic or doing something that's unusual?

A. Yes, that would -- to me, that would

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24 demonstrate, you know, something mentally there.

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Page 53 Page 55 1 some point, yes, maybe. Q. I've tried to kind of synchronize them, but 2 it's not as easy as one might think to do that; so... Q. Okay. Maybe initially when you were -- when A. Yes. We turned them on at different moments. 3 you and Officer Dillard were initially --A. Oh, yes; yes, at the very beginning. Yes. Q. Right. You turn them on at different moments, 5 and then, you know, one officer's in one position, Q. Okay. A. Sorry. another's in another, and you hear different things. 6 Q. That's all right. MS. GOWIN: And sometimes you can't tell. 7 8 MS. HUTCHISON: And sometimes you can't And so -- so let's talk about that. When the 9 tell. But I will tell you that I have replayed those 9 two of you arrived, you arrived at about the same time 10 three body cam footages for about 30 hours trying to 10 as the ambulance; is that true? 11 sync them up, so -- I mean, that's off the record, I 11 A. Yes, the ambulance, a couple of minutes -- a minute or seconds ahead of us, yes. 12 12 guess. Q. And you had received the information through Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) But I don't know if you've 13 13 14 ever tried to sync up body cam footage, but it's not dispatch about -- to some extent, about why you were 14 going out there; right? 15 15 easy to do. 16 A. Yes, in the MDC. A. I -- I guess not. 16 Q. Say that again. 17 Q. Your -- the perspective from your body cam 17 A. The MDC. 18 footage is different than the perspective from 18 19 Q. Okay. 19 Officer Dillard's body cam footage; correct? 20 A. Our computer. A. That is correct. Q. And it's actually, in some instance, easier to Q. The computer -- the in-car computer? 21 21 22 see what you're doing from his body cam footage than 22 Q. And who was driving? 23 23 from your own in some respects, right, because your --24 A. Dillard. 24 your body cam footage -- your body camera is facing 25 Q. So were you the one that was reviewing the 25 outward; correct? Page 54 Page 56 1 information on the computer? A. Yes. Away from me, yeah. 2 Q. Away from you? A. That is correct. Q. And what do you recall coming through on that 3 A. Yes. 4 about the scene that you were about to encounter? Q. And Officer Dillard's is facing away from him; A. What I can recall was that Sergeant Mansell had 5 right? 6 asked for cover. And on the computer, it said that he Q. And so some of Officer -- have you -- have you 7 was -- the subject was depressed and schizophrenic, off 7 8 reviewed your own body cam footage? 8 medication, and that -- that's the one thing I -- I can 9 remember clearly. A. Yes, ma'am. Q. Okay. And you had a generalized idea about 10 Q. Did you review Officer Dillard's body cam what you might encounter with a schizophrenic person; 11 11 footage? correct? 12 12 A. Yes. 13 A. Yes. Q. So you can see that, in some instances, 13 Q. From your training? 14 14 Officer Dillard's body cam footage captures your actions 15 A. Yes. 15 better than your own? 16

MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for 16

17 speculation.

Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Did -- did you see that? 18

A. I don't remember seeing myself in his camera.

Q. You don't remember seeing yourself in there? 20

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A. Just from what I can remember, he's facing his

22 head. 23

Q. I'm sorry. You said what?

A. Dillard's facing Mr. Timpa's head. So -- and

25 I'm behind Dillard. So I -- I can't recall. Maybe at

Q. And they -- they teach you various scenarios

17 about people in an altered mental state, what they might

be doing and what you might be encountering; right?

19 A. Yes.

Q. And one of those is schizophrenia; right?

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22 Q. Because people who are experiencing

23 schizophrenia often have, for example, hallucinations;

24 right?

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25 A. I know very little of schizophrenia, but I

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1	believe that's one of them,	1	up; right?
2	Q. Well, basically	2	A. Yeah, I I don't know when, but yes.
3	A. Or that's something a symptom they have.	3	Q. At some point, Officer Dominguez showed up;
4	Q. Yeah. And you but you knew that that he	4	correct?
5	was very likely to be in an altered mental state;	5	A. Yes.
6	correct?	6	Q. So if you've got Sergeant Mansell, that's one;
7	A. Correct.	7	you, two; Dillard, three; Rivera, four; Dominguez, five.
8	Q. That he wasn't necessarily going to sit down	8	You've got the two paramedics. You've got the security
9	and have a rational conversation with the officers;	9	officer. So if we're talking about, I guess, officers,
10	right?	10	if you exclude the two paramedics, that's six; right?
11	A. Correct. Possibly, yes.	11	A. I don't know
12	Q. You understood that he would be agitated	12	Q. Does that sound right?
13	probably, most likely; right?	13	A. I don't know if you consider a security guard
14	A. Ycs.	14	an officer, but, yes, I guess for this case.
15	Q. And did they tell you what he had been doing	15	Q. Okay. Well, let's exclude the security guard.
16	before you got there?	16	There's if you exclude the security guard, that's
17	MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague.	17	five officers; correct?
18	A. I can't remember exactly what came over the MDC	18	A. Yes.
19	or what came in there. I'm sure I could look at the	19	Q. Were there any other that arrived that you can
20	and refresh my memory and look at the call sheet. But I	20	recall?
21	can't remember right now, off the top of my head, what	21	A. I can't recall anyone else.
22	exactly it said.	22	Q. Was there any discussion about using the the
23	Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Did you know that he had	23	training and experience from the academy with respect to
24	been running in traffic?	24	the control team takedown?
25	A. I can't remember if that's something I read at	25	MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague.
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1	the time. Honestly, I can't remember.	]	A. You're asking me if we spoke about it, about
2	Q. Okay. That's fine.	2	the takedown?
3	So you and Officer Dillard walk up on the	3	Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Yes. Was there any
4	scene, and at that time, Mr. Timpa was already	4	discussion about how you were going to go about
5	handcuffed	5	restraining Mr. Timpa?
6	A. Yes.	6	A. No.
7	Q right?	7	Q. Like, Hey, we've got I mean, the the
8	A. Yes.	8	control team takedown says you can use three officers to
9	Q. He was sitting on the ground?	9	do it; correct?
10	A. He was laying on the ground.	10	A. Correct.
11	Q. Okay. He was laying on the ground?	11	Q. So how was it determined that it was you and
12	A. Yes.	12	Officer Dillard that were going that were going to
13	Q. And initially, when y'all walked up, you were	13	initially restrain Mr. Timpa?
14	standing there kind of looking at him, assessing the	14	A. It was not predetermined.
15	situation; correct?	15	Q. You were just the ones that jumped in the
16	A. Correct.	16	fight, so to speak?
17	Q. And Sergeant Mansell was there; right?	17	MS. GOWIN: Objection.
18	A. Correct.	18	A. I wouldn't
19	Q. The security officer who was had been	19	MS. GOWIN: Misstates the evidence.
20	involved, I guess, in in chasing him down was there;	20	A. I wouldn't say "jump in the fight."
	right?	21	Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) What would you say?
22	A. Yes.	22	A. But we are the me and Dillard were the ones
23	Q. The two paramedics arrived?	23	to restrain Mr. Timpa, yes.
24	<ul><li>A. Yes. Before we did, yes.</li><li>Q. Yes. And at some point, Officer Rivera showed</li></ul>	24 25	Q. Okay. But how is it that it came to be you and Officer Dillard that were involved in the process?
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Page 61 Page 63 A. We were there. A. I don't know what Officer Dillard has said. 1 Q. So was Sergeant Mansell. He was standing right O. You haven't discussed that with him? 3 there, wasn't he? A. No, ma'am. Q. You've never talked to Officer Dillard about A. I can't control what he does. whether or not Mr. Timpa kicked you? Q. Yes, sir, I -- I understand that. But I'm 6 saying, when you walked up, Sergeant Mansell was A. No. Q. Okay. 7 standing there; correct? A. I -- I can't recall talking to him about it, A. That is correct. 8 Q. And Officer -- was Officer Dominguez already 9 10 there? 10 Q. All right. So how was it that he kicked you? 11 A. I don't recall him already being there, no. 11 A. Mr. Timpa did not kick me. He got close but Q. Okay. Do you remember how soon Officer 12 did not kick me. 12 13 Dominguez arrived? Q. All right. So he never actually came in 13 A. No, I -- I don't. contact with you, did he? 14 14 Q. Okay. Well, was it just you and Officer 15 A. No. Q. But he was kind of rolling around, and you and 16 Dillard that were involved in restraining Mr. Timpa 16 17 Officer Dillard moved to restrain him; correct? 17 initially? A. Correct. A. From what I can remember, it was me and him. 18 19 Q. And your purpose in doing that was to restrain 19 Somebody was at the feet, and I don't recall who that him so that he could get some sort of assistance; 20 was at Mr. Timpa's feet. 21 correct? 21 Q. Okay. In the initial restraint process? 22 A. We restrained him. Well, we put him in that 22 A. Yes. prone position for everybody's safety and to assess the MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague as to 23 24 "initial restraint process" because he was already in situation and take care of what we had to take care of. Q. Right. But he -- he wasn't under arrest, was 25 cuffs. Page 62 Page 64 MS. HUTCHISON: That's a great point. 1 A. We were -- I -- in my opinion, we were going to Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) When you walked up, 3 Mr. Timpa was already handcuffed; right? 3 APOWW him, which is to take him to a facility so he can 4 receive treatment for mental illness. A. Yes. Q. Right. You weren't going to charge him with a Q. So that's not even something that you needed to 6 do right then, was it? crime, were you? A. No, ma'am. A. Right then and there, no. Q. So what did you do -- you walked up. Mr. Timpa 8 Q. You weren't going to take him to jail, were 9 was laying down, already handcuffed, with the officers 9 you? 10 standing around him; correct? 10 A. No, ma'am. Q. You were going to take him to get some 11 A. Yes. Mr. Timpa was rolling around. 12 treatment to assist him; right? Q. Okay. And he was rolling around, and you knew 13 right away -- well, obviously, you already had the 13 A. That is correct, 14 information that he was schizophrenic; correct? 14 Q. So the very first thing that happened was --MS. GOWIN: It's 10:32. When you get to a A. Correct. 15 Q. And you could look at him and determine that he 16 good stopping point, I'd like to take a break. We've 17 was in an altered mental state immediately, couldn't 17 been going for about -- for over an hour. 18 18 you? MS. HUTCHISON: Okay. I mean, I -- now is 19 A. Yes. 19 fine. 20 Q. And he began rolling around; correct? 20 MS. GOWIN: Okay. 21 A. Yes. MS. HUTCHISON: I don't really have a good 21 22 Q. And he rolled towards you; right? 22 stopping point; so... 23 A. Correct. 23 MS. GOWIN: Okay. Thanks.

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Q. And Officer Dillard, I think, claims that he

25 kicked you; right?

THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Off the record at 10:32.

(Break from 10:32 to 10:45.)

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	THE VIDEOGRAPHER: On the record at 10:45.	,	
2	Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) So, Officer, I think we	1 2	A. Okay. Q. Do you see it's 17 seconds?
Ι.	left off we were talking about when you arrived at the	_	A. Is that my camera?
3	scene; correct?	3	O. Yes.
5	A. Correct.	5	A. Okay. Yes. Oh, yes, it says 17 seconds.
6	Q. And I'm going to I'm going to it's going	6	Sorry.
l	to take a while this process takes a while. I'm	7	(Video plays.)
8	going to show you portions of the body cam footage and	8	Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. And that shows that
9	then ask you about it, and then show you portions and	9	you were walking up onto a scene; right?
	ask you about it. So be patient with me, okay, because	10	A. Correct.
	I've got to find the places on the on the footage.	11	Q. And at that point, it's it's at night;
12	A. Okay.	12	correct?
13	Q. And I'm going to show you on this on this	13	A. Correct.
	iPad. We're going to start with your body cam footage.	14	Q. Somebody has parked their vehicle in such a
	Okay?	15	manner as to put their headlights to light up the scene;
16	A. Okay.	16	correct?
17	Q. Okay. I'm going to let it get to the point	17	A. Correct.
	where there's audio. Oh, wait. That's okay.	18	Q. Do you know who did that?
19	Now, initially, you have to manually turn your	19	A. No.
	body cam on; correct?	20	Q. Do you know whose vehicle is providing light
21	A. Correct.	21	for the scene?
22	Q. How do you do that?	22	A. No.
23	A. There's a center button on the camera itself.	23	Q. And you can see, as you're walking up to the
	You just hit it twice. You tap it twice.	24	scene, there are various people that are standing there
25	Q. And at what point are you in your what do	25	around the bus stop area; correct?
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Page 69 Page 71 A. I don't know his name, but it was another (Video plays.) security guard. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Oops. Sorry. And now I want to -- at 45 seconds, you can see Q. Okay. MS. GOWIN: Can you see that okay? Is it 4 that Officer Dillard has moved over to where he's within 4 big enough that you can see it? your body camera footage; correct? THE WITNESS: Yes. A. Correct. 7 MS. GOWIN: Okay. Q. And you and Officer Dillard and Sergeant 8 Mansell and at least one security guard are standing Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) So the -- the shoulder patch on the officer that's looking at you, you think there observing Mr. Timpa; correct? A. Yes. 10 that's a security guard? 10 A. Yes, I believe so. 11 Q. Okay. And you would agree with me that, at 12 Q. Okay. 12 that point in time, there doesn't seem to be any 13 A. I -- I can't tell what it says or what it is, immediate need for action; correct? 13 14 but from what I can recall. 14 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates the (Video plays.) 15 15 evidence. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. So at about A. I mean, there's always that sense that we're so 17 36 seconds approximately, the audio comes on; right? close to the street. So, I mean, we -- I didn't want to 18 A. Uh-huh. just stay there for too long. Q. And you and Officer Dillard are communicating Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) I'm talking about, at the 20 with Sergeant Mansell; right? time that the -- that the officers and the security 21 A. Yes. guard are standing there -- are just standing there Q. And you can hear Mr. Timpa is saying something; watching him, that was because there was not an 22 23 right? immediate need for action; correct? 23 24 A. Yes. 24 A. You mean the other -- two security guards and Q. What was he saying? 25 Sergeant Mansell, or are you speaking about me? Page 70 Page 72 A. That he -- what I can remember -- I don't Q. You, Officer Dillard, Sergeant Mansell, and the 2 remember exactly what he's saying. But looking -two security guards are all -- and a bystander are all hearing what I heard on the video when you were playing just standing there watching Mr. Timpa; correct? 4 it, it says, "Check and they will see" or something like A. Yes. 5 that. Q. And the reason is because there was not an 6 Q. "Check and they will tell you" or something -immediate need for action at that moment; correct? 6 A. Something to that --MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for 7 Q. It doesn't really make any sense, does it? 8 speculation, particularly outside of -- for -- of why 9 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for other people are doing things. A. When it comes -- for me, I'm looking at him, 10 speculation, A. I -- I don't know what he's referring to. I trying to assess the situation. That's what I'm doing. 12 just hear him talking. I'm trying to get information So that's why I'm not taking any other action --12 13 from Sergeant Mansell at this time. 13 Q. Sure. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Right. But does it seem to 14 A. -- aside from trying to talk to him. 15 you that Mr. Timpa -- that right away you can tell he's 15 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Because if he had been 16 in some kind of altered mental state? doing something -- I don't know -- choking someone, A. I couldn't assume anything. I haven't spoken racing into the street, doing something that needed an 17 immediate need for action, you would have acted 18 to him or attempted to speak to him. I just hear him in 18 19 the background making noise. 19 immediately; correct? 20 A. In a case like that, yes. 20 Q. I'm -- I'm asking about just from the 21 observations that you made when you initially approached 21 Q. Okay. And you didn't have to act 22 immediately --23 A. I -- something's going on, yes. 23 A. It's locking --24 Q. Something not normal? 24 Q. -- because you had the --25 A. Correct. 25 A. I don't mean to cut you off. It's locking out.

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Page 81 Page 83 MS. HUTCHISON: 58. 1 at that point, no. MS. GOWIN: Thanks. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) And I -- and I'm trying to 2 A. I see one with -- I can't -- the other one, distinguish between you assessing a situation --3 A. Uh-huh. 4 it's very -- at the outskirts of the screen. It's kind Q. -- and you assuming anything. Okay. Because 5 of hard to tell. I can't tell who that is or if it's 6 even a uniform. I'm not asking you to assume anything; fair? A. Yes. The other one, it looks -- it looks like a Q. All right. I'm asking you the information that uniform. It doesn't match the Dallas Police patch, you're taking in to assess the situation. though, on the shoulder. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. That's all I was 10 Fair enough? 11 going to ask you is if you knew --11 A. Okay. 12 Q. Isn't that what you do as an officer? 12 A. Oh, okay. A. Yes, ma'am. Q. -- if you knew who those were? 13 13 A. No, I don't. Q. Okay. And you would agree with me that the 14 14 information that you're taking in at the time is that a Q. Okay. At some point, you begin interacting person is not in their normal state of mind; correct? 16 with Mr. Timpa, along with the other officers; correct? MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for an A. I remember -- from what I can recall, I assumption. Calls for speculation. 18 remember Dillard saying something and I saying 18 something. I don't recall someone else saying anything. A. Like I said, at this point, I don't know what's Q. Right. Do you remember that you, Officer going on. I've had others that are perfectly fine tell 21 me "Don't kill me" because they're about to be arrested. 21 Dillard, and Sergeant Mansell were all saying, "Hey, So -- or "Don't kill me. Don't hurt me" type deals. 22 relax, buddy. Chill out. Relax," that kind of thing? Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Why did you want him to A. Yeah. Something to that extent, yes. 23 23 Q. Okay. And that you said something like, "Hey, 24 look at you? 25 Tony, chill out, bro. Look at me." And you wave your A. I felt that, if I could get his attention, Page 82 Page 84 1 fingers. 1 maybe I could get a response from him. Q. What kind of a response? Do you remember that? 3 A. Yes. A. Get information that I needed. If he was okay. Q. And during this entire time -- this process, If it was a medical situation. 5 where you're all saying things to him, like "Relax, Q. Well, up to that point, you'd been there over a 6 buddy. Chill out." And you say, "Hey, Tony, look at minute at that point; right? 7 me," and you wave your fingers, nobody's making any move A. Perhaps. 8 towards Mr. Timpa at all; right? Q. Had --8 A. That is correct. A. Close to. Q. Mr. Timpa continues to be sort of incoherent Q. Had Mr. Timpa responded rationally to anybody 10 11 and rolling on the ground; correct? at that point? 11 12 A. Correct. 12 A. No. Q. And, again, Mr. Timpa is saying things like, 13 Q. That was part of the information you had; 14 "Don't hurt me." And the officers are like, "We're not right? 14 15 going to hurt you, man." And, you know, "Chill out, 15 A. Correct. Q. And then did you hear the security guard say, 16 dude," that kind of thing. 16 17 "Hey, we're going to get you some help, Tony"? 17 Do you recall that? 18 A. Yes. 18 A. I don't recall hearing that. Q. And does that also inform you about his --19 Q. Okay. Let me show you at -- so I'm going to 19 start it at 58. And at about 1:22 or so, you can hear 20 whether he's in a normal state of mind, that he's the security guard say, "Hey, relax, man. We're going 21 rolling around, yelling, "Don't hurt me" to police to get you some help, Tony." 22 officers? 22 See if you can hear that. 23 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for 23 24 (Video plays.) 24 speculation.

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A. I couldn't assume what mental state he was in

Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Did you hear that?

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Page 85 Page 87 A. My knees. My knees are on, like, his buttocks A. Yes, ma'am. 2 and his lower back. Q. Was that the security guard that was saying Q. Both knees? 3 that? 4 A. Yes. One is at his lower back, and one is on, A. Yes. Based on the video, yes. 5 like, his lower -- I mean, his buttocks. Sorry. Q. And did you see that there was a guy in, like, Q. And Officer Dillard, what does he do with his 6 a orange or yellow shirt standing there next to the 7 hands and knees? 7 sign? 8 A. When we arrived at the scene, yes, I remember A. From what I remember, he places a knee on his 9 back and holds down his shoulders with his -- with his 9 him. 10 Q. Who was he? 10 hands. Holds down Mr. Timpa's shoulders with his hands. 11 A. From what I remember, I think he witnessed Q. Okay. So do you recall at that point 12 Mr. Timpa in the street, if I'm able to remember. 12 Mr. Timpa, of course, when you -- even when you walked Q. Did anybody tell him, "Get back. Stay away. up, was already handcuffed; right? 14 This guy's dangerous," anything like that? 14 A. Correct. A. I don't recall. I know I did not. I don't Q. So at about 1:30 or so, you've got Mr. Timpa on 15 16 know if anybody else did. 16 his stomach, with your -- both of your knees on him and Q. He remained standing there, leaning up against Officer Dillard's knee on him and Officer Dillard's hand 18 the sign within feet of Mr. Timpa pretty much the entire or hands on him; correct? 19 time, didn't he? MS. GOWIN: Objection as to lack of 19 A. I don't recall how long he was there or when he 20 foundation as to what point in the video, the timing of 21 left or when he moved. Q. So at about this time, 1:25 or so, is when you 22 22 A. Say -- say that again, just so I get it right. 23 and Officer Dillard move in to restrain Mr. Timpa; Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Yes, sir. At about 1:30 or 23 24 so -- and I'll -- I'm happy to -- let me just show it to 25 A. I don't know the exact time on the video, but, 25 you. Page 86 Page 88 1 yes, we eventually do move in for --You tell me -- I'm going to start it at 1:27. Q. Okay. And what is it that you do specifically 2 You tell me at what point in the -- in the timing of the 3 video that you've got both of your knees on Mr. Timpa's 3 in that process? 4 lower back, upper rear, and Officer Dillard has his knee A. The portion where we start to restrain 5 and one or both hands on him. Okay? 5 Mr. Timpa? Q. Yes, sir. A. Okay. A. I remember he rolls towards me. I kind of step Q. Sorry. It's hard for me to -- can you just 8 back because his feet got close to me. He kind of rolls 8 reach over there and hit the little arrow button and 9 towards Officer Dillard. And then I just kind of like make it play? 10 assist to roll him on his stomach and --A. Starting at 1:27; right? 10 O. How? 11 Q. Yes, sir. 11 A. With my hands. Just --12 A. Okay. Q. Where did you -- where did you put your hands? 13 (Video plays.) 13 A. Sorry. I was -- it was at 1:30. A. On his midsection. So lower back, buttocks 14 14 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. So -- so it was 15 15 area. about at 1:30? Q. Okay. And so you put your hands on his lower 16 16 17 back, upper buttocks to roll him onto his stomach; 17 A. Right. 18 correct? 18 Q. That's fair; right? A. Correct. 19 Okay. And then that's you saying, "Hey, Tony, 19 Q. And then what do you do? what's your last name, Tony?" Right? Or was that you? 20 20 A. Then I kind of squat at that same area -- in A. I believe so. I don't -- don't recall. I --21 21 22 that same area. So his -- around his upper buttocks, 22 Q. Okay. lower, lower back. 23 A. I'd have to see the video again. Q. And do you put any part of your body on any 24 Q. That's fine.

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But you can see at about that time -- and I'll

25 part of his body?

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1	back it up a minute. You can see some hand with blue	lι	second.
2	gloves hands with blue gloves coming into the body	2	A. Okay.
3		3	Q. But what the part we were listening to, you
4	that	4	can hear Officer Dillard ask him what he took today;
5	A. Okay.		right?
6	Q and tell me whether you know if that was one	6	A. Yes.
7	of the paramedics.	7	Q. Did you ask him what he had taken today?
8	A. Okay.	8	A. I can't recall up to that point asking him
9	Q. Okay. You didn't wear blue gloves, did you?	9	that, no.
	A. No, ma'am.	10	Q. Okay. Were you curious?
10	Q. Do you know if any of the did you see the	11	A. Yes.
11	3	12	Q. Did you believe that it was likely that he had
12	A. No.		taken something?
13		13	A. Later on, yes.
14	Q. You	14	
15	A. Not that I can recall, no.	15	Q. Okay. Were you the one that searched his pockets?
16	Q. Because you can see at I've got it at 1:30.		A. Yes.
17	And you see somebody else that's that looks like it	17	
8	might be another officer on the footage.	18	Q. So, at this point in time where we're looking
19	Do you know if that's another officer?	19	at the video, which is at about 2 minutes or so, are you
20	A. It appears that, in the video in the frame,	20	still with your knees on his upper lower back and
21	he's carrying the laptop that paramedics carry.	21	upper buttocks?
22	Q. Okay. So that might be one of the paramedics	22	MS. GOWIN: I'm sorry. Can I have that
23	at 1:30?	23	question back? I apologize.
24	A. It might be.	24	MS. HUTCHISON: Yes.
25	Q. Okay. I think Mr. Burnley, who testified	25	Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) At 2 minutes in the video,
	Page 90		Page 93
1	yesterday, said that he was the one carrying the laptop.	1	Officer Vasquez, did you still have your knees on
2	He's a paramedic.	2	Mr. Timpa's lower back and upper buttocks?
3	A. Okay.	3	MS. GOWIN: Objection. Have you shown him
4	Q. That would make sense; right?	4	that portion of the video? I thought we were at 1:36
5	A. If he's a paramedic, yes.	5	before.
6	Q. Yeah, he is.	6	MS. HUTCHISON: We're at 2:02.
7	A. All right.	7	MS. GOWIN: Okay.
8	Q. There was the paramedics were Mr. Burnley	8	A. I can't recall. I think I was I still have
9		9	my knees on him.
10	MS. GOWIN: Flores.	10	Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. And, again, your
11	MS. HUTCHISON: Flores. Thank you.		body cam actually shows Officer Dillard
12	Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) So at about yeah, at	12	A. Correct.
13		13	Q more than it shows your own position; right?
14		14	A. Correct.
15	A. Okay.	15	Q. So we can maybe switch at some point to
16	Q. Can you hit the play button?	16	Officer Dillard's body cam. But, again, if he's facing
17	A. Yes, ma'am.	17	Mr. Timpa's head, it's not going to show you behind him;
18	(Video plays.)	18	right?
19	Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Did you see the	19	A. Correct.
20	A. The hands haven't came in yet.	20	Q. So do you remember at what point you removed
	Q. Oh, they didn't?		your knees from Mr. Timpa's lower back and upper
21	A. No.	21	buttocks?
22	A. No. Q. You didn't see those?	22	
22	Q. 1 ou didit i see those:	23	<ol> <li>I remember removing my left knee to give me</li> </ol>
	Oh let me oh actually that's sorry	24	more aggres to his hands when I was about a suit his
23 24	Oh, let me oh, actually, that's sorry. That's at 2:25. So I'll move it up to there for a	24 25	more access to his hands when I was changing out his handcuffs.

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Page 93 Page 95 Q. And do you remember at what point in the I security guard or one of the officers. Q. So it was either one of the security guards or 2 footage that is? one of the police officers? A. No, I do not. 3 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for Q. So let me show you -- I'm going to move it to 4 5 speculation. 5 at about 2 minutes, and I want you to look at 2 -- 2:21 A. Perhaps. 6 to verify that you're the one that's checking his Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Well, was there someone pockets because I think that's about the time that it 8 else involved in the process of restraint, other than shows that. the -- the police officers and the security guards? Actually, I'll probably just play it from 2:02 A. No. Again, it -- it was either the -- a 10 because it's so hard to try to pinpoint the exact time. 11 So let me just do that. And I'll ask you to look for a police officer or a security guard. 12 couple of things. Q. Okay. And they had -- so at that point in 13 time, where this other third individual's involved in 13 At about 2:10, someone is holding on to 14 Mr. Timpa's foot just using one of their hands, and I 14 the restraint process, you still have both of your knees wanted you to identify that person, if you can. on Mr. Timpa? 15 A. I can't recall for exact. I mean, I can't 16 And then someone is putting cards, like from 16 17 his wallet, on the bus bench, and if you can identify recall exactly because I know I made space for the 18 who that is. And then at 2:21, who's checking his paramedic to do what he was trying to do. Q. Okay. But at 2:10, the paramedic hadn't pockets. Okay? entered the picture yet; right? A. Okay. 20 Q. So those things. Who's -- who's holding on to 21 A. Correct. 21 22 his foot at 2:10. Who's putting things on the bench, 22 Q. So whoever the third person is involved in the 23 and who's checking his pockets at 2:21? 23 restraint process, you've got Officer Dillard with his A. Okay. 24 knee on Mr. Timpa's back and his hand or hands on him as 25 Q. Okay. Let me turn that towards you. If you'll 25 well; correct? Page 94 Page 96 1 just hit the arrow. A. Correct. A. (Complies.) 2 Q. And you've got you, at this point in time, that's probably still got two knees on him; right? (Video plays.) 3 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) All right. Did you -- did 5 you see those things that I was talking about? speculation. A. Yes, ma'am. A. I can't remember if I had moved the -- a knee O. Okay. So who was it that was holding his foot or both knees or -- or how my positioning was at this 7 at about 2:10? time, at that point. I can't remember. A. I do not know, ma'am. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. But you said you 9 moved one knee in order to do what, again? 10 Q. Was it you? A. To give me ease of access to -- when I was A. I was not holding his feet, no. 11 handcuffing him. Q. Okay. So they weren't -- they weren't holding Q. The handcuffs. But that hadn't happened at 13 his feet. It was just one hand holding one foot; right? 13 this point; right? A. From what it looked on the video, whoever it 14 A. No, it had not. 15 was kind of had, like, their knee in the -- in the 15 Q. So is it likely then you still had both of your 16 crease of their knee and then holding the feet. 16 17 knees on him? Q. So -- so the officer had his knee in 17 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for 18 Mr. Timpa's --18 speculation. A. I don't --19 19

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24 would it?

Q. -- the back of his --

22 was an officer or not.

A. I don't know who that was. I don't know if it

Q. Well, it wouldn't have just been a bystander,

A. I -- I don't know. I don't know if it was a

A. Perhaps.

point; correct?

Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. And whoever's

A. Based on where we stopped on the video, it

22 holding his one foot with their one hand is able to

restrain his feet or feet just using one hand at that

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Page 97 Page 99 A. No, ma'am. 1 looks as to. I did not see what he was doing. I was Q. And you took the cards out, and you put them on 2 focused in my little area. Q. Right. But I'm talking about at 2:10, when you the bench; right? 3 A. Yes, that is my hand. 4 were looking at the person holding onto his -- holding Q. And then the paramedic's hands come in at 5 onto his foot. They were just doing it with one hand; 6 about -- well, you -- you hear it -- you hear Mr. Timpa 6 right? saying, "I'm down. I'm down. I'm down. Please don't MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for do it," that kind of stuff; right? 8 speculation. A. Again, I'm not -- I'm looking at Mr. Timpa's A. I don't recall that. 10 midsection, at his hands. I'm not looking at what the 10 O. You don't remember that? 11 person next to me is doing. 11 Well, the paramedic's hands come in at 2:25, and Mr. Timpa's yelling things at about that time. So Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) I'm asking you if you can I'm going to start it at 2:13 and ask if you see the 13 look on the video -paramedic's hands come into the picture. A. Oh. 14 A. Okay. 15 Q. -- and see that. So I'm backing it up to 2:05 15 16 and asking you to look at 2:10. 16 (Video plays.) 17 A. That is the paramedic's at 2:27, -28. A. Okay. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. That's the 18 Q. And tell me if you think they needed more than 18 paramedic's hands coming in? 19 just one hand to restrain his feet? 19 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for 20 A. Yes. 20 Q. And did you have any idea what he was doing? 21 speculation. Object to form. 21 A. He had -- from what I can remember, he had a --22 22 (Video plays.) 23 it's like a monitor, putting it on -- on Mr. Timpa's A. Yes, he's holding at -- he has the -- his knee 23 24 in the crook of Mr. Timpa's knee and holding it with one 24 finger. 25 Q. It's like --25 hand in the video. Page 100 Page 98 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. And his feet at that A. Trying to get vitals, I assume. Q. Okay. Do you know what a pulse oximeter is? 2 point aren't moving, are they? 3 A. No. A. A little but not significantly, no. 3 Q. Was it a little clippy thing? Q. Okay. And are you the one that's talking at A. Yes, clipping something. It's, like, 5 that point in time where you're talking about his ID? 6 grayish-bluish with a digital screen on it. A. Yes, that is me. Q. Who are you talking to? 7 Q. Yeah, and he clipped it to his finger? 7 A. I can't recall. I perhaps was speaking to, 8 A. Yes. Q. And then he unclipped it; right? 9 like, Sergeant Mansell or somebody else. Q. Wasn't Sergeant Mansell over there looking 10 Q. And when you hear on there, "Right behind you. 11 through the cards that are on the bench as well? 11 A. I can't recall what Sergeant Mansell was doing. 12 Don't jump," that's the paramedic; right? 13 I know at one point I do talk to him to tell him, you 13 A. That is correct. Q. And then you -- you also say, "Don't jump back. 14 know, what I found in his pockets. 14 Q. What did you find in his pockets? 15 You've got a paramedic right behind you"? 15 A. From what I can remember, it was -- there were 16 A. Correct. 16 17 cards. I think it was a credit card in there of some 17 Q. And you're talking to Officer Dillard? 18 sort and then another card. I think it was, like, a 18 A. That is correct. Q. And then so it -- at about -- so -- so at this 19 membership card. 19 20 Q. A health club membership card, wasn't it? point, when the paramedic removes the device, you are

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25 him; correct?

still not changing the handcuffs; correct?

A. That is correct. Yes, I believe so.

Q. So it's likely that you still got both your

24 knees on Mr. Timpa and Officer Dillard has one knee on

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23 pockets.

25 sharp or anything like that?

A. I believe so. I can't remember what exactly it

Q. Okay. But no weapons or anything dangerous or

22 was. I can't remember what else there was in his

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Page 101 Page 103 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates his Q. I'm sorry, sir. How were your handcuffs 2 testimony. Calls for speculation. 2 physically different than the security guard's 3 handcuffs? A. As far as Dillard, I don't remember what he's 4 doing at this point. Me, I possibly still do have my A. Physically, none. Q. So they were the same handcuffs in terms of the 5 5 two knees on him. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Because you testified way they --7 carlier that the reason you moved your left knee was in A. Appeared. Q. -- locked, the way they appeared, the way they order to start the process of switching out the handcuffs; correct? restrained him? A. Yes. 10 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates his 10 11 testimony. Calls for speculation. 11 Q. And you're not saying that there's any kind of, 12 A. I said I remember moving my knee on his lower 12 like, written policy or order or anything like that that 13 back to kind of get more access to -- to change out the would require you to switch out the handcuffs before you transported him? 14 handcuffs. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) All right. And you --15 A. As I remember training, that's -- we're always 15 16 your -- both your knees were on Mr. Timpa until the time told we need to switch out handcuffs. You leave the 17 you moved your left knee to change out the handcuffs? ones on there, replace yours, and then remove the ones MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates that were already there. 19 testimony. Calls for speculation. Q. Okay. And you're saying that that was in, A. I can't recall if I moved them -- moved any of 20 what, your academy training? 21 my knees earlier than that, but I do remember doing it 21 A. From what I remember in lecture and in actual FTO training, yes. 23 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) And in terms of switching 23 Q. So in the academy training and in the field 24 out the handcuffs, whose handcuffs were you putting on 24 training, they told you that it was important for you to 25 have your own handcuffs on him, as opposed to someone 25 him? Page 102 Page 104 1 else's handcuffs on him, when you transported him? MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates Q. And whose handcuffs were you taking off of him? A. From what I later found out, well, it belonged testimony. 3 to one of the security guards. A. I remember them saying, "Switch it out since Q. And would -- did the security guard ask you to you are the transporting officer." 6 get his handcuffs back? Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. And was there any time requirement? A. No. Q. Was there any immediate need to put your A. Not that I can recount, no. 9 handcuffs on and take the security guard handcuffs off? Q. In other words, there's nothing that says, you MS. GOWIN: Objection to the term -- vague 10 know, "Within 15 minutes prior to transport, you've got 10 11 as to "immediate need." to have those handcuffs switched," or anything like A. I would -- what would you consider like 12 12 that? 13 "immediate need"? 13 A. I don't recall them giving a specific timeline, Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Was the need -- other than 14 no. 15 the fact that you want to give the dude his handcuffs 15 Q. So that could have waited, for example, until 16 back, was there any other need for you to switch out the he was in the ambulance? 17 handcuffs? MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for 17 18 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for speculation. Incomplete hypothetical. 19 speculation. Vague. 19 A. Me, personally, I don't see why I would wait A. I change out the handcuffs because I know we're until the ambulance. 20 21 going to transport him. So my handcuffs are going to be 21 Q. I didn't ask you that, sir. 22 on him. MS. HUTCHISON: I object as nonresponsive. 22

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Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) So how were your handcuffs

24 different than the security guard's handcuffs?

A. In the fact that they were mine.

Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) You could have waited until

he was in the ambulance to switch out the cuffs;

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1	MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for	1	to someone; correct?
2	speculation. Incomplete hypothetical.	2	MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for
3	A. Again, you're asking me about my actions;	3	speculation. Incomplete hypothetical.
4	correct?	4	A. Say that again. Sorry.
5	Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) I'm asking you whether it	5	Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Sure. We're talking about
6	could have waited until he was in the ambulance for you	6	what you were trained as to what it means to put someone
7	to switch out the handcuffs?	7	in the recovery position when it's feasible, when it's
8	MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for	8	reasonable. Okay?
9	speculation. Incomplete hypothetical.	9	A. Right.
10	A. Again, in my because of my what I did	10	Q. So that what they say is "Restrain somebody on
11	was we were there, switch them out now, instead of	11	their stomach, but because that's a dangerous position
12	later.	12	to have them in, sit them up or roll them on their side
13	MS. HUTCHISON: I object as nonresponsive.	13	as soon as you reasonably can." Correct?
14	Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) You actually took the	14	A. Correct.
15	handcuffs off of him that you had put on him in the	15	MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for
16	ambulance; correct?	16	speculation. Incomplete hypothetical. And compound
17	A. Yes.	17	question.
18	Q. By rolling him on his side; right?	18	Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) And so the point at which
19	A. That is correct.	19	it's reasonable to do that is the point at which you
20	Q. Could you have waited until Mr. Timpa was	20	decide, "We can do this without it posing the the
21	placed in a recovery position to switch out the	21	probability of harm to anyone." Right?
22	handcuffs?	22	MS. GOWIN: Objection. Incomplete
23	MS. GOWIN: Objection. Incomplete	23	hypothetical. Calls for speculation.
24	hypothetical. Calls for speculation.	24	A. Perhaps.
25	A. Not given that Mr. Timpa was moving. It was	25	Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) And so, when you can put
	Page 106		Page 108
1	more safe and more tactical to do it in the prone	1	him on his side or sit him up, at that point in time,
	position.		
3	Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) It was more safe to switch		this without, you know, posing harm to someone." Right?
4	them out while he was moving, as opposed to waiting	4	MS. GOWIN: Objection. Incomplete
5		5	hypothetical. Calls for speculation.
6		6	A. I mean, in other cases perhaps.
7	MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates	7	Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) No. I'm saying in
8	testimony.	8	accordance the way you were trained, that's the point
9	A. That is not what I'm saying.		at which you sit somebody up or roll them on their side;
10	Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Wouldn't it be more safe to		right?
11	switch them out when he's no longer resisting or moving?	11	MS. GOWIN: Objection.
12	MS. GOWIN: Objection. Incomplete	12	A. For the recovery?
13		13	MS. GOWIN: Incomplete hypothetical. Calls
14	A. Could you say that again?	14	
15	Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Yes, sir. So in	15	Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Yes, for the recovery.
16	according to your training that you received at the	16	A. Yes, that those are the two positions.
17	academy and in your field training, you are supposed to	17	Q. And and the time at which you do that is the
18	put someone in the recovery position as soon as	18	time at which it can be done safely; right?
	6 41	l	

# A. Correct. Q. And when it's feasible is when you can do it 23 A. Just recovery. 24 Q. Correct.

Q. And the recovery position is either on their

19 feasible; correct?

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A. Correct.

22 side or sitting up; right?

25 without the situation presenting the possibility of harm 25 A. Sit them up, we're getting ready to take them,

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A. In certain -- certain -- in certain

Q. What other circumstances would you put somebody

20 circumstances, yes.

22 on their side or sitting up?

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Page 109 Page 111 1 to transport them. 1 safely do so; right? A. That is the training, yes. Q. Well, you're supposed to do it as soon as it's 3 safe to do so; right? Q. And so, with that consideration in mind, there A. Correct. wasn't any need to keep him on his stomach in order to Q. Okay. So my question to you is, doesn't it transfer the cuffs? 6 make sense that you would -- because when you roll them MS. GOWIN: Objection. Objection. Incomplete hypothetical. Calls for speculation. And 7 onto their side or sit them up, you've determined that 8 it's safe to do so; right? A. Mr. Timpa wasn't rolled to his side or sat up A. Yes. 9 10 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Incomplete 10 because he continued to move, continued to resist. 11 hypothetical. Calls for speculation. MS. HUTCHISON: I object as nonresponsive. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) And doesn't it make sense 12 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Officer, are -- are you 12 saying that there was an immediate need that you 13 that that would be a very reasonable time at which to absolutely had to switch those cuffs off while he was 14 switch out the handcuffs? MS. GOWIN: Objection. Incomplete still on his stomach? 15 16 hypothetical. Calls for speculation. 16 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for A. In a situation where we can do that and it's speculation. Also, vague as to "immediate need." 17 A. No, that's not what I said. What I said is 18 feasible to do so, yes. that the time I -- it -- it was a good time for me to do Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) And so, in accordance with 20 the way you were trained, when you encounter Mr. Timpa, so, so I did so. 21 you know that you're going to be assessing when it's 21 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) You're saying it was 22 safe to roll him on his side or sit him up; right? convenient? 23 A. Yes. 23 A. Yes. 24 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates Q. So it would also be a consideration of, "I'm 25 going to be assessing when it's safe to roll him on his 25 testimony. Page 110 Page 112 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) But it wasn't necessary --I side or sit him up, so I'll switch out his handcuffs at MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates 2 that point in time"? MS. GOWIN: Objection. Incomplete 3 testimony. 3 4 hypothetical. Calls for speculation. A. I'm not --Q. -- for any physical reason? A. Again, if it's -- if it would have been practical or feasible, perhaps. A. I'm not saying it wasn't necessary. It needed Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay, But there wasn't any to happen. So it seemed like a good time to do it. 8 physical need to switch them out when you switched them Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Did it need to happen for 8 9 out, was there? any physical reason? MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague. Incomplete 10 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague as to "physical reason." Calls for speculation. Incomplete 11 hypothetical. Calls for speculation. 11 A. I would say the need was always there because hypothetical. 13 I had to -- I was going to switch out the handcuffs 13 A. What do you mean "physical"? 14 anyways. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Was it necessary based upon Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) I understand you felt the any of Mr. Timpa's conduct? 16 need to switch out the handcuffs, Officer. I'm talking MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague as to --16 17 about the timing of it. vague. Object to form. Calls for speculation. 18 There wasn't any physical need to do it when A. As I said before, I replaced the -- I changed 18 19 you did it, was there? out the handcuffs because I know I needed to do so, and MS. GOWIN: Objection. Incomplete 20 the time -- it seemed like a good time to do so. 21 hypothetical. Calls for speculation. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Yes, sir, and -- and that's A. Again, we had him in somewhat of a control. It 22 my point. You did it because it was convenient for you; 23 seemed like the -- a good timing. 23 right? Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Well, your training was to MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates 24 25 put him in the recovery position as soon as you could 25 testimony.

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Page 113 Page 115 speculation. A. It was tactically feasible to do so at the Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) I'm sorry, Officer? 2 time. A. I couldn't remember how long it took me. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) But it wasn't necessary as 3 3 Q. Okay. So at some point you tell him, "You 4 4 a result of any of Mr. Timpa's conduct or to restrain don't need to be squirming." him further or to restrain him better or --Do you remember that? MS. GOWIN: Objection. 6 6 A. I believe so. 7 Q. -- anything like that? 7 8 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague. Compound. Q. That might be when you're trying to change out A. I changed the handcuffs because I needed to the handcuffs. I don't -- do you remember? 9 change out the handcuffs. A. Perhaps it's when it is. I can't remember MS. HUTCHISON: I object as nonresponsive. 11 exactly. I remember him moving a lot when I was trying 11 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Officer, will you please to do so. 12 12 Q. When he's -- at the point in time where you're 13 13 answer my question? telling him, "You don't need to be squirming," and A. Okay. 14 Q. It wasn't necessary to change those handcuffs you're saying that he's squirming too much, you still 15 16 in order to secure him in a different fashion, was it? have both knees on him; correct? MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for A. To secure him --17 17 18 MS. GOWIN: Objection as to vague. 18 speculation. 19 A. To secure him in any other fashion? 19 You can answer, if you know. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) In a different fashion than 20 MS. HUTCHISON: Can we just stipulate that 20 21 he was already secured? he can answer if he knows and doesn't have to answer if MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague. he doesn't know, instead of you keep saying that on the 22 23 record? 23 A. No. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Switching the handcuffs 24 MS. GOWIN: Go ahead and ask your question. 24 25 MS. HUTCHISON: Well, I'm just saying it's 25 didn't make anybody more safe or less safe, did it? Page 114 Page 116 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague. Also, calls 1 really inappropriate for you to --MS. GOWIN: Go ahead and ask your question. 2 for speculation. MS. HUTCHISON: -- continue to do that. A. The changing of the handcuffs is to change out 4 So I'm just offering -- I'm just offering you a 4 handcuffs. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) And it didn't make anybody stipulation. MR. ADDISON: I'll join the stipulation 6 more secure or less secure, did it? 6 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague. that he's only testifying to stuff he has personal knowledge of. 8 Incomplete -- or sorry. Vague and incomplete 8 9 MS. GOWIN: Go ahead and ask your hypothetical. Calls for speculation. A. Again, I -- I believe I'm answering your questions, and I'll object as I see fit. Thanks. 10 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Officer, just for the 11 question. It --Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) No, sir, you're not. I'm record, I only want you to answer what you know. Okay? 12 A. Okay. 13 asking you to just state on the record whether it's true 13 Q. Is that fair? 14 or not that switching those handcuffs out didn't make 14 A. Yes. 15 anybody more secure or less secure under the 15 Q. So I'm going to move this to 3:02. Actually, 16 circumstances? 16 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for start at 2:58. And you can hear you saying, you know, 17 18 speculation. Vague. Lack of foundation. "You don't need to be squirming," that kind of stuff. And tell me, if you know, at this point in time, which A. Perhaps not to either. 20 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) How long did it take you to officers are doing what with respect to Mr. Timpa. 21 Okay? switch the handcuffs out? 22 A. I will try. A. Oh, I don't know exact timing. Q. Do you know approximately? 23 Q. All right. And you can just reach up there and 23 24 hit that arrow. 24 A. I couldn't even remember. MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for A. (Complies.) 25

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Page 117 Page 119 (Video plays.) 1 1 process; correct? Or three-man restraint process; 2 A. When did you say I need to look? correct? Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Oh, wait. See, you just MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for 3 4 hit where -- where you hear you say, "Tony." You say speculation. something like, "Stop squirming" or "You don't need to A. Just so I understand correctly, you're asking 6 be squirming." That's the point at which I wanted to me if I had enough people, at least three, to do the know if you knew who all was involved. five-man takedown? 8 A. Okay. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Three to five -- according (Video plays.) to your training, it was three to five officers; right? Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. Now, you can -- can 10 10 you -- do you know, from your -- your memory and/or the Q. And if you were going to initiate that process, 11 12 body cam footage, what officers are doing what at that 12 that was part of the training in the takedown process, 13 you'd have an officer at each -- on each leg; right? 13 point in time? 14 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Compound. A. Uh-huh. O. "Yes"? 15 A. I -- I know Dillard was at Mr. Timpa's upper 15 A. If I have five, yes, or at least -- yes. 16 half of the body. I'm still at his midsection. And 16 Q. Okay. Well, you had three, didn't you? 17 somebody's at his feet, but I do not recall who that 17 A. Yes. 18 was. 18 19 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. Can you see any 19 Q. So you could have used that process that you learned in your defensive tactics class; correct? other officers that are in the vicinity? 20 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates evidence. 21 A. In the video, there's somebody standing near 21 Calls for speculation. Incomplete hypothetical. 22 the squad car, but I don't know who that is. 22 Q. What's Sergeant Mansell doing at this point in 23 A. As you can see in the video, we're using the 23 24 three and just dividing the body. There's one at the 24 25 top, the middle, and somebody's at the feet. 25 A. I am not tracking what Mr. -- what Sergeant Page 118 Page 120 1 Mansell is doing. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. Well, in -- as far Q. So -- but you know you've got at least three as I can tell from the slides that were provided with people involved in the actual restraint; correct? respect to your defensive training class, it -- the way A. Correct. it explains it is a little different; right? 5 Q. Somebody's standing by the squad car; correct? MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague. 5 A. Saying about the takedown? What portion of A. Correct. 6 that? Q. You know that Sergeant Mansell is not one of 7 the ones involved in the actual restraint; correct? 8 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Well, we can look at it. MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague as to does he The "Control and Stabilize." 9 know it from looking at the video, or does he know it --10 A. Okay. did he know it at the time? Q. Do you recall that? 11 12 MS. HUTCHISON: Either way. 12 MS. GOWIN: Well, those are two different 13 Q. And it says you can use the control team 13 14 takedown to control the subject; correct? 15 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) I don't care how you know. A. Yes. Do you know that Sergeant Mansell was not one of the Q. And that would mean that you would have a 16

22 did he? A. Not that I can recall, no.

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ones involved in the restraint?

touching Mr. Timpa, no, he's not.

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Q. But you had enough manpower available at that 24

A. As Sergeant Mansell having any -- physically

Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) He didn't the entire time,

MS. GOWIN: Objection. Compound. Vague.

point in time to engage in the five-man restraint

17 different officer on each limb; right? A. As -- as feasible. 18 Q. Right. And then, once they're handcuffed, you 19 20 don't have to have an officer on each arm; right? 21 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates the 22 evidence. Incomplete hypothetical. And calls for speculation. 23 A. It doesn't say anything in the slide about it. 24 25 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) If you'll look at 381?

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Page 121 Page 123 A. (Complies.) Q. What you did know was that Officer Dillard had Q. The procedure, the "Takedown Procedure." 2 control of his upper section? 2 A. Yes. A. Okay. 3 Q. That -- it says that, after they get to Q. And that you had control of his midsection and were working on switching out the handcuffs? 5 prone -- do you see the part where, after they get to MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague as to 6 prone, where it says "Arm officers"? 7 "control." A. Yes. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Correct? 8 O. Okay. So after a person gets to prone, which A. I was at his midsection, yes. is laying on the ground on their stomach; right? Q. Did you have control of his midsection? A. Uh-huh. 10 MS. GOWIN: Object. Vague as to "control." 11 O. "Yes"? 11 A. As best as possible. When he'd move, it's kind A. Yes, ma'am. 12 12 Q. The "Arm officers handcuff." Correct? of hard to control somebody when they keep -- continue 13 13 to try moving. A. That's what it says, yes. 14 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) What did you not have 15 O. You didn't need to do that because he was 15 control of? 16 already handcuffed; right? 16 A. That is correct. 17 A. His movement. 17 Q. What movement did you not have control of? Q. The "leg officers control the kicking," which 18 19 means you'd have an officer on each leg to control the 19 A. He -20 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague as to 20 kicking; correct? "control." 21 A. Correct. 21 A. He continued to -- to buck, to move, to squirm. 22 Q. Now, you didn't have an officer on each leg. 22 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Describe "squirm." You had an officer for both legs; right? 23 A. I -- that's how it --A. Best way I can describe squirm is to 24 24 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague. 25 continuously move in a -- I don't know how to explain 25 Page 124 Page 122 1 it. Like, a shrimping movement. Continue to -- to A. That's how it appears on the video, yes. 2 squeeze in, squeeze out, move left, move right. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. And -- but that 2 Q. How far left? How far right? person was controlling his legs sufficiently; correct? 3 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for speculation. 5 speculation. Vague. A. I wouldn't know the exact. A. I can only assume. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Well, but I -- I'm looking Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Well, you were right there, 7 for a description. You're the one saying he was 8 right next to it; right? squirming. I'm asking you to describe it in a manner A. Right. But, like I said, I was paying that we can visualize. 10 attention to his midsection and his hands. I don't know 11 A. Enough to move me and the other officers. 11 what the person at the legs was doing. Q. Okay. But you're not offering any testimony 12 Q. So he was moving you physically? 13 that whoever was on his legs wasn't sufficiently 13 A. Yes. Q. And in order for him to do that, you'd have to 14 controlling them, are you? 15 be on top of him; correct? A. Wait. Say that again. 15 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates his 16 Q. You're not offering an opinion or going to 16 testimony. Misstates the evidence. 17 offer an opinion that whoever it was that was A. Was I on him when he was moving? Perhaps, yes. 18 18 controlling his legs wasn't doing it sufficiently? Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. So going back to the MS. GOWIN: Objection. Compound. 19 procedure, it says the "Arm officers handcuff." We A. Yeah, I'm not going to give an opinion about it 20 talked about that. The "leg officer controls the 21 because I don't know. 21 kicking." We talked about that. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. That's fair. 22 23 And then it says, while you're doing that, You're just saying you don't know what was 23 while they're prone, you are to "avoid any restrictions going on with his legs? 24 to breathing." Correct? 25 A. Right.

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Page 125 Page 127 1 concern, or at that point. A. That's what it says, yes. Q. Okay. Y'all didn't do anything to avoid Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) So it's fair to say that 3 breathing restrictions, did you? you didn't take any action, in the first 10 minutes of MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates the the restraint, to avoid restrictions to his breathing? 4 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates 5 evidence. 5 A. What do you mean we didn't do anything to avoid testimony. Misstates the evidence. 6 A. Me being at his midsection and hearing him 7 his breathing? talk, yell, and scream, and still moving gave me the Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) What actions did you take, 9 in the first 10 minutes of your restraint of Mr. Timpa, indication that he was breathing. MS. HUTCHISON: Object to the 10 to avoid restrictions to breathing? 10 11 A. I was on his buttocks area. I don't believe I responsiveness. 12 restricted his breathing. 12 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) It's fair to say, Officer, that you did not take any -- for whatever reason, you Q. Well, you had one officer that was on his back 13 14 that was where his chest cavity was; correct? did not take any action to avoid restriction to MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague as to "on his Mr. Timpa's breathing in the first 10 minutes of 15 restraint; correct? 16 back." 17 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Didn't you? 17 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague. Also, MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague as to "on his misstates his testimony. Misstates the evidence. 18 18 19 back." 19 A. It is not fair to say that. 20 A. Officer Dillard was on his upper section. 20 Q. Okay. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. I want you to look A. As I said, I am at his midsection. He is 21 21 22 at Exhibit 21 in the notebook in front of you. 22 yelling and screaming. So his breathing -- I assume he MS. GOWIN: Can I flip this? There's is breathing at this -- he's still breathing, breathing 23 24 some --24 fine. 25 THE WITNESS: Oh, okay. 25 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Yes, sir, and I'm not Page 126 Page 128 MS. GOWIN: Oh, you got it. Good. 1 asking you that question. Okay? 2 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) That's -- that's Officer A. Uh-huh. 3 Dillard; correct? Q. What I'm asking you is -- and I'll make a list. Why don't you tell me every action that you took to A. Yes. avoid restriction to Mr. Timpa's breathing --5 Q. From your body camera; correct? MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague as to A. It appears to be so, yes. 6 Q. And you've got both hands leaning onto 7 "action." 8 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) -- in the first 10 minutes 8 Mr. Timpa; correct? of the restraint? A. He has his both hands on Mr. Timpa, yes. 9 10 What's Number 1? 10 Q. On his upper back; right? 11 A. What do you define as an "action"? A. It looks like his left shoulder, and it's hard 11 12 to see his right hand. 12 Q. Doing something. A. I am at his midsection. I am not impeding his Q. Okay. And his knee as well; correct? 13 13 breathing. He's breathing at this point. 14 14 A. It appears so, yes. MS. HUTCHISON: I object as nonresponsive. Q. And that would be about where Mr. Timpa's chest 15 15 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) I understand you want to 16 16 cavity is, wouldn't it? say that he was breathing. And it's fine if you say, 17 A. Yes, perhaps. "Because he was breathing, I did not take any action to Q. Okay. So what actions did you take 18 avoid restricting his breathing." That's fine. 19 19 proactively, during the 10 minutes of -- the first 20 I just want to clarify for the record that, for 20 10 minutes of the restraint, to avoid restrictions to whatever reason, you did not take any action to avoid 21 Mr. Timpa's breathing? restriction to his breathing while he was prone; MS. GOWIN: Objection to the -- vague as to 22 23 correct? "proactively." 23 24 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates his A. Again, I am at his midsection. Mr. Timpa is testimony. He said he was at -- holding -- restraining 25 still yelling and screaming. So breathing wasn't a

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Page 129 Page 131 1 him at his midsection. Dillard. 2 This question's been asked and answered Q. I'm asking you what you observed, sir. A. I observed Officer Dillard's hands on his 3 twice. A. I -- I feel like I've answered your question. 4 shoulder, on the left shoulder, possibly on his back. I 4 5 I -- I don't know what else you want me to say. couldn't tell you if he put weight or not. Q. Wouldn't he be having to put his own weight on Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) I just want you to tell me 7 any action you took to avoid restricting his breathing. top of Mr. Timpa, if Mr. Timpa was squirming, in order to stop him? A. Again, I am at his midsection. MS. GOWIN: Objection. Asked and answered. Q. Okay. So the only --And calls for speculation. A. Mr. Timpa's breathing. 10 11 A. Again, you could only assume. 1 i Q. So let me -- let me rephrase it. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Sir, again, I'm asking you 12 The only action that you took to avoid 12 13 restricting Mr. Timpa's breathing, while he was prone 13 what you observed. Okay? A. I observed his hands on his back. 14 restraint with two to three officers putting weight on 14 15 top of him, is for you to be at his midsection? Q. And did you observe Officer Dillard, in order MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates the to try to stop Mr. Timpa from moving, place his weight 16 on top of him? 17 evidence. Object to form. Vague. 17 18 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Is that correct? 19 speculation. A. I -- I feel you continue to ask me the same A. I don't know if he put any weight or how much 20 thing, and I've already answered it. Not impeding his 20 weight he put in there. I don't know. 21 21 breathing. He's breathing fine. And I'm at his Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) So is it your testimony 22 midsection dealing with his midsection and his hands and that, if Officer Dillard had put no weight on top of 23 with his handcuffs. 24 Mr. Timpa, he would still be under the amount of control 24 MS. HUTCHISON: I object as nonresponsive. 25 that he was? 25 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Is it your testimony, Page 132 Page 130 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates his 1 Officer, that the action that you took to avoid 2 testimony. Calls for speculation. 2 restricting Mr. Timpa's breathing was to be at his A. My testimony is I don't know. 3 midsection while Officer Dillard was on the top of his Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) I'm asking you, sir, from 4 back and the other -- other officer was at his feet? MS. GOWIN: Objection. Asked and answered. what you observed at the scene of Mr. Timpa, are you 5 6 He's been over this several times. I understand he's saying that it was not necessary to put any weight on 7 not giving you the answer that you want, but he has his upper and mid back to control him? MS. GOWIN: Misstates test- -- objection. answered the question. MS. HUTCHISON: You know what? Don't --Misstates testimony. Calls for speculation. 9 10 don't lecture me. 10 A. I'm not saying that at all. MS. GOWIN: So we're not going to -- he's 11 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. What are you saying? 12 not answering this any further. He's answered it three 12 Was it -or four times now. 13 A. I'm saying that I --14 MS. HUTCHISON: Are you instructing him not Q. Was it --15 to answer the --15 A. -- observed Dillard have his hands and his knee MS. GOWIN: I am. 16 16 on Mr. Timpa's back. MS. HUTCHISON: -- the question? Q. Was it necessary to put weight on Mr. Timpa's 17 17 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) So was Officer Dillard back and upper back in order to stop him from moving 18 18 putting weight on his arms at the time that he was on 19 around? the back of Mr. Timpa? 20 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for 20 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague as to whose 21 21 speculation. 22 arms. 22 A. I couldn't tell you what Dillard felt he needed Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) On his own arms. Was he 23 to do. 24 putting weight on his, Officer Dillard's, arms? 24 MS. HUTCHISON: I object as nonresponsive.

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A. I don't know. You would have to ask Officer

Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Officer, I'm not asking you

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1	what Dillard felt he needed to do. Okay. I'm asking		A. To be honest with you, I don't know what
2	you, from you being at the scene on top of Tony Timpa,	2	"contention" means.
3	to try to prevent him from moving around, was it	3	Q. Oh, it's your I'm sorry. I don't mean to
4	necessary for someone to put weight on his upper back to	4	use legalese.
5	stop him from moving around?	5	It's your opinion that no. I'm sorry. I
6	A. Like I said, perhaps Dillard felt that way,	6	don't remember now what my question was. I don't even
7	that he needed to put pressure. I don't know.	7	know what my question was.
8	Q. No, sir, I'm not asking you how Officer Dillard	8	MS. GOWIN: Do you want it back?
9	felt. Okay. Can we please set that aside?	9	MR. ADDISON: Yeah, he yeah, read it
10	A. I'm I'm answering your question. You're	10	back.
11	asking me if he had pressure on him.	11	MS. HUTCHISON: Yeah, Sorry. Can you read
12	Q. No, sir, I'm not asking you that either.	12	it back.
13	A. So what is your question?	13	(Discussion off the record.)
14	Q. Is it your testimony that, in order to prevent	14	(Reporter read the requested testimony.)
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19	we would have to put pressure on his back to control	19	A. Yes.
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safe position"?

Q. Is that --

Q. What do you mean by "able to move them into a

A. They are allowing themselves to be moved or --

MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates

Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) My question is what did

24 they teach you as to how to decide when it's safe and

22 testimony. That's not what he said.

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Page 141 Page 143 A. -- or the fact that me rolling them, I'm not O. You with me on that one? 2 going to roll them into the street, or I'm not going to 3 roll them onto a bush of thorns or something like that. Q. All right. Then how would the EMT being able Q. Okay. to do their vitals factor in if the person's no longer A. My surroundings. 5 Q. So they're no longer resisting and that you can MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for 7 roll them without rolling them into a hazard? speculation. Incomplete hypothetical. A. Yes. A. Again, if -- if we're transporting with via 9 Q. Anything else? A. There'd be multiple. Those are just some. medical, they have to do what they have -- whatever 10 11 Q. Okay. And what would those be? they've got to do. Then we can move them or move them A. Let's see. I guess it would also be dependent however they see fit. 12 13 on either we're transporting in an ambulance or you're Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Yes, sir. My question to you is, when you, as an officer, are assessing when it's 14 transporting in a squad car. Because if you're 15 transporting in an ambulance, you've got to wait for the 15 safe to sit someone up --A. Uh-huh. 16 gurney. Q. Okay. The availability of gumey. 17 Q. -- and the gurney is available, how is the EMT 17 participation a factor? 18 Anything else? 18 A. Make sure everybody's done what they need to A. Are you --19 19 20 do, as in, if the EMTs are out there, have the EMTs 20 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for gotten what they need to do so we can transport. 21 speculation. Incomplete hypothetical. Q. Well, EMTs can take vitals, et cetera, on 22 22 A. So you said if the gurney was available; right? 23 somebody who's on their side or sitting up; right? 23 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Yes. MS. GOWIN: Objection. A. If the gurney's available, we would lay him on 24 24 25 A. That's --25 the gurney. Page 144 Page 142 MS. GOWIN: Calls for speculation. Q. I'm talking about putting someone in a recovery A. That's up to the EMT. 2 position. Okay? Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Are you aware of anything A. But if the gurney was there, we would put them 3 4 that would prevent an EMT from taking vitals on someone on the gurney. Q. Yes, sir, I -- I'm just talking about putting 5 who's sitting up? MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for someone in a recovery position. Okay? 6 7 speculation. 7 A. I understand, but I went based -- that you said A. I don't know. I'm not an EMT. a gurney was available. 8 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. Since you don't know Q. Yes, sir. I'm just talking -- can you -- I'm talking -- I'm asking you about putting someone in a 10 whether or not that's a factor, can we just not include recovery position, and you said you do it when it's safe 11 that as a factor, or do you -- or are you still to do so; right? 12 insisting that that's a factor to determine -- in 12 13 A. Yes. 13 deciding whether or not you can sit someone up? Q. And I'm asking you how do you decide if it's MS. GOWIN: Objection. 14 14 15 safe to do so? You said, "if someone's no longer 15 A. It could be. 16 resisting; if you can do it without placing them in a 16 MS. GOWIN: Com- -- compound. hazard." Correct? 17 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Under what circumstances A. Uh-huh. 18 could it be? Q. "Yes"? 19 A. Somebody sitting down who's either still moving 19 A. Yes. 20 or sitting down and attempting to perhaps bite the EMT, 20

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stated before.

Q. Is there anything else that factors into your

Q. And what -- what else is there, besides them no

A. Yes, I'm -- again, there's multiple, as I

22 assessment of when it is safe to do so?

21 he can't do what he has to do.

25 resisting." Okay?

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Q. Doesn't that fall under "no longer resisting"?

Q. Okay. But -- so we've already got "no longer

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Page 145 Page 147 1 about the gurney or the squad car. I'm talking about 1 longer resisting and you can do it without putting them the recovery position. 2 into a hazard? You understand that? MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for 3 3 A. Yes. 4 speculation. Incomplete hypothetical. A. I can't have any come to mind at this point. Q. And your training specifically says to put them Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) So you would agree with me in the recovery position as soon as you can; correct? 7 that, when they're teaching you in the academy, "Put A. Correct. 8 somebody in recovery as soon as it's feasible," that 8 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates the evidence and the testimony. 9 they also teach you, "Here are the things for you to q 10 decide whether it's feasible." Right? Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) And what they taught you 11 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates 11 was, as soon as someone is no longer resisting and you're not going to put them into a hazard, put them in 12 testimony. A. I can't recall them giving any specifics, a recovery position --13 14 saying, "Hey, this is what you have to have for it to be MS. GOWIN: Object --14 Q. -- correct? 15 15 safe and feasible." Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) They didn't provide you any MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates the 16 evidence. Misstates the testimony. guidance in that regard? 17 17 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates A. From what I remember of the slides we looked at 18 earlier, it did say to put them in a recovery position 19 testimony. when it's feasible, yes. 20 A. Again, from what I can recall, at the academy Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) And that's part of what you 21 was -- you know, they gave specifics, that it's safe for 21 were taught in the academy; right? 22 you and safe for the subject. 22 23 Q. They didn't teach you what was safe? 23 A. Yes. MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates Q. So if someone's no longer resisting and it's 24 25 feasible, you're supposed to put them in recovery; 25 testimony. Page 148 Page 146 1 right?

A. I can't recall them saying, "Hey, this is what 2 you must have in order for it to equal safe." Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) They didn't teach you that 4 part of what you are to assess is that someone's no 5 longer resisting, or is that something -- something you A. Yes, 1 -- I mean, it was taught that, if they are no longer resisting, it's time to go --Q. Okay. A. -- take care of whatever we're going to do. 10 Q. So you would agree with me that, if you've got 12 somebody that you're restraining on their stomach, that

15 put them in, that you should put them in the recovery 16 position? MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates his 17 18 testimony. Misstates the evidence we've seen here. A. What I remember from training, that the

13 you're taught that, if they're -- if they stop resisting

14 and there's not a hazard that you're going to, you know,

20 recovery position is prior to transport, if somebody is 21 not -- no longer resisting under arrest or being 22 transported to a medical facility, the point is to get 23 them up, get in the gurney or in the squad car, and time 24 to go.

Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Yes, sir. I'm not talking

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MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates 3 testimony. Misstates evidence. Incomplete 4 hypothetical. And calls for speculation. A. I mean, and -- and, again, it's a case by case. 6 Could I do it with somebody that we still had to take 7 care of something at the scene, then, yes. If it's somebody ready to be transported, we transport. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Can you think of anything that would prevent you from following the training that tells you to put somebody into a recovery position when they're no longer resisting? MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for 13 speculation. Incomplete hypothetical. 15 A. Can you say that again? Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Yes, sir. Can you think of 16

anything that would prevent you, that would stop you, in a given situation, from putting someone who was no longer resisting into a recovery position? 20 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates --Objection. Calls for speculation. Incomplete hypothetical. A. If it falls within being safe and no hazards, I 23 24 don't see why not. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) So I want to show you --

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Page 149 Page 151 Q. Okay. 1 I'm going to start this at about 4:24, if I can get it A. It's starting at 4:24. 2 there. Q. Okay. MS. GOWIN: Are we still on Officer 3 3 (Video plays.) 4 4 Vasquez's body cam? A. He's moving. He's moving. Okay. MS. HUTCHISON: Yes. 5 5 MS. GOWIN: Okay. MS. GOWIN: Okay. 6 6 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Is it --Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) I got it at 4:25. I think 7 8 this is about the time where you say, "I'm going to try 8 A. Yeah, it's at 4:57 now. 9 to change cuffs." 9 Q. Oh, okay. So where in there, in that period of A. Okay. 10 time from when you started handcuffing at 4:24 to 4:53, 10 Q. So kind of listen for that; verify that that's did you see Mr. Timpa struggling? 11 A. The whole time. 12 you. And I'm going to play it through 4:53. And I want 12 13 you to make note -- and I don't know if you want a pen 13 MS. GOWIN: He indicated as we went. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) I'm sorry. I didn't hear 14 14 and a piece of paper or whatever. But I want you to 15 note -- or you can even just say, "Hey, stop right 15 you. A. The whole time. That he was moving? 16 there" -- any place where you contend that Mr. Timpa is 16 Q. Oh, no, struggling. So you believe that, from 17 struggling. Okay? 17 4:24 to 4:53, Mr. Timpa was struggling that entire time? 18 A. All right. You mean "contend," you mean, like, 19 when I see him moving? 19 A. Yes. Q. And what was it -- let me back it up to 4:20 --Q. Where you -- yes. I'm sorry. 20 20 21 4:27. So here I'm going to -- I'm going to come around 21 A. Okay. so I can see what you're seeing. Q. I need to quit using legalese just in general. 22 A. Your microphone. But any place where you say that he's 23 23 24 Q. Okay. Here we go. 24 struggling right there, that shows he's struggling. 25 Okay. I'm going to start at 4:27. And tell me 25 Okay? Page 152 Page 150 A. Okay. which part of his body that you see you can -- that Q. So, like I said, 4:25 and stop it at 4:53. 2 you're saying was a struggle -- was struggling. 2 MS. GOWIN: I'm going to have a standing 3 (Video plays.) 3 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. So at -- up to 4:36, 4 objection on this part where for -- this calls for 5 speculation and is limited to what can be seen in the what part of his body was resisting you? 6 video from this aspect. A. His hands that are not in screen. His hands 6 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Well, let -- so let me ask 7 and his, like, wrist area, you know, pulling away from 7 8 you this. Any -- any place that you believe it shows on 8 Q. With just his hands, or are you saying his arms 9 the video or you -- you are going to testify, "Well, you were pulling away from you? 10 can't see it on the video, but he was struggling." So A. Yeah. So he's trying to move his hands, best 11 just any place in there where you say either it's shown 11 12 on the video or it was happening. Okay? way I can describe it. Q. Okay. What I'm trying to figure out is are you MS. GOWIN: Objection. Overbroad. Vague. 13 14 saying that his arms are pulling away from you or just 14 Calls for speculation. 15 his hands? 15 Just answer what you see in the video. A. His hands. 16 MS. HUTCHISON: That's not my question. 16 Q. Okay. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Answer my question, please. 17 17 18 It's at 4:25. And, again, I'm going to stop it at 4:53. A. His -- his -- at this point, his arms are 19 moving because I am trying to hold his hand or arm to 19 (Video plays.) put the handcuff on. 20 A. I'm going to pause it. The glare is --20 Q. Right. You're pulling on his hands, which is 21 21 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Oh, yeah, you can -making his arms move? 22 A. If you don't mind --22 A. Yes. 23 23 Q. -- maybe --Q. But he's not moving his arms himself at this 24 24 A. No, it -- it was just the way it was leaning,

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Page 155 Page 153 1 from 4:37. A. Yes, he is. 2 Q. Oh, he is? 2 (Video plays.) A. Yes. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Now, you can see -- at that 3 Q. Okay. So you think that this shows him moving point, you can actually see you putting the cuffs on 4 him, can't you? 5 his arms to resist you? A. Yes. I am attempting to do it at that time, 6 A. Yes. You cannot see it on camera when he's 7 yes. 7 flailing his hands and pulling his hands away from me. Q. And your -- and it's your testimony to the jury Q. I know, but I'm talking about his arms. You're in this case, under oath, that that shows him struggling saying that this video shows him resisting you? against you? A. I'm telling you his arms are moving because I A. Again, the video does not show what his hands 11 11 am trying to get a hold of his arms, but not on video is are doing, but his hands are pulling away as I'm 12 his hands pulling away from me. attempting to put on the handcuffs. Q. Yes, sir, I understand what you're saying about 13 Q. Officer, my question to you is, is it your 14 his hands. 14 testimony that this video, that we are looking at --A. Uh-huh. 15 15 16 A. Uh-huh. Q. I'm asking you if it's -- if you're taking the 17 position that this is showing him struggling against Q. -- with our own eyes right now from your body 17 camera at 4:40, shows Mr. Timpa struggling against you? 18 you? MS. GOWIN: Asked and answered. We're 19 19 A. Yes, for what is not seen on video, yes. done. We -- he's already answered it twice. 20 20 Q. Okay. I get that. Now, I'm asking you for MS. HUTCHISON: No. 21 21 what is seen on the video. Are you saying that what we MS. GOWIN: You don't get to ask it until 22 22 are seeing on the video is showing him struggling he says what you want him to say. 23 against you? 24 MS, HUTCHISON: He -- he --A. Again, the video may not show it that way, but MS. GOWIN: We're done. Asked and 25 I know he's moving because of what's not seen. 25 Page 156 Page 154 answered. We'll move on. Q. Okay. I -- I will give you that you are --MS. HUTCHISON: He has not answered the 2 that it's your position that what we cannot see shows 3 question. I'm not asking him about what he's contending 3 him struggling against you? 4 is happening off the camera. I'm asking only solely A. Yes. based on what's reflected in the video. Just that Q. I'm asking you, what we can see, are you saying basis. that that shows him struggling against you? Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Are you saying that it A. Again, you see him moving because he's moving shows him struggling against you? 8 8 his hands, and I'm trying to grab a hold of his arm. So MS. GOWIN: Objection. Asked and answered. 9 he is moving, yes.

Q. Okay. And so you say that what we see on that 11 shows him struggling against you?

A. Again, because you cannot see the totality of 12 13 what the video shows, the video doesn't show his hands 14 moving. So according -- in the video, it just seems

15 like his arm is moving, but he is fighting against my

16 hands trying to put the handcuff on.

Q. So if you just look at the video without your 17 testimony about his hands, it doesn't look like he's 19 struggling against you, does it?

MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates 20 21 testimony. Misstates the evidence.

A. I couldn't say that based on what I -- because of what I know and what I'm seeing is what I'm

answering. 24

Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. We'll keep going 25

I'm instructing him not to answer. He's already 10

answered you several times. You don't get to ask it

until he says what you want. 13 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Where is he struggling

against you in the video? Not off camera, in the video. MS. GOWIN: Objection. Asked and answered multiple times. I'm instructing him not to answer. 16

MS. HUTCHISON: I just -- I'm asking him 17

18 where in the video. Like, point --MS. GOWIN: I understand. You have asked 19

20 that as well. 21 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Like, point to it?

22 MS. GOWIN: Asked and answered.

Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Will you please point to 23 it? 24

MS. GOWIN: Asked and answered. I'm

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Page 167 Page 165 1 required him to be physically restrained at -- during 1 Mr. Timpa? A. What I am saying is that Mr. Timpa was still 2 this process? resisting; so we acted accordingly. MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates the 3 MS. HUTCHISON: I object as nonresponsive. 4 testimony. Misstates the evidence. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Did you hear my question? 5 A. Mr. Timpa is still moving, still resisting, so we're acting accordingly. A. Yes, I did. 6 MS. HUTCHISON: I object as nonresponsive. Q. Please answer it. 7 A. I believe I did. I'm telling -- I am answering Will you read the question back, please. 8 that we did and acted accordingly based on Mr. Timpa's (Reporter read the requested testimony.) 9 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Compound. resistance. 10 10 Q. And when you say "we," you mean both you and 11 Objection. Misstates the evidence. Misstates the 11 Officer Dillard; correct? 12 testimony. Badgering the witness. A. If that's who you're asking about, yes. 13 13 You can answer. A. So you're asking me if Mr. Timpa was still 14 Q. Well, who else -- and whoever else was involved 14 15 resisting and that we needed to continue to restrain 15 in his restraint; right? A. Yes. 16 16 him? Am I correct? Q. Because there was another officer, as you said, Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Sure. 17 17 kneeling on his -- I think you said the crease in his A. Yes, Mr. Timpa is still resisting and --18 18 Q. At what level is he resisting? 19 knee? 19 20 A. That's what it appeared to be. MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague. 20 Q. Okay. So you're saying that, because of the A. He is resisting where we need to contain him. 21 21 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Both of you? Both you and way Mr. Timpa was acting, it was necessary for you and 22 23 Officer Dillard and the officer on his knee to do what 23 Officer Dillard? 24 you were doing to restrain him; correct? MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for 24 25 A. That is correct. 25 speculation. Page 168 Page 166 MS. HUTCHISON: How on earth does that call Q. And, therefore, you're offering an opinion about the necessity of what Officer Dillard was doing; 2 for speculation? MS. GOWIN: How about you ask your 3 correct? 3 A. I am not offering an opinion on what he did. questions, and --Q. You just did, Officer. You just said, because MS. HUTCHISON: No. I want to know. 5 of the way he was acting, it was necessary for "us --MS. GOWIN: -- I'll do my thing. 6 we, the officers -- to restrain him." Right? 7 MS. HUTCHISON: No. I get to ask you the basis for your objection. What is it? 8 Q. So, therefore, you're including Officer Dillard MS. GOWIN: Sure. Absolutely. I don't 9 9 10 and the officer at his legs; correct? 10 think that one witness can -- can opine on what another A. Correct. 11 witness is doing and why they are doing it and whether 11 12 or not that person felt that it was necessary. So Q. And so my question to you is, encompassed 12 within that, you're saying it was necessary for 13 that's why. Officer Dillard to use the type and amount of force MS. HUTCHISON: Really? 14 that he used; correct? Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) All right, Officer. Is it 15 16 A. Yes. 16 your testimony that you don't have any idea whether or 17 Q. And it was necessary for you to use the type 17 not Officer Dillard's restraint was necessary? and amount of force that you used; correct? 18 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates 18 19 testimony. Misstates the evidence. 19 Q. And it was necessary for the officer at his 20 20 A. My testimony is that Mr. Timpa was still 21 legs to use the type and amount of force that he used; 21 resisting, and we acted accordingly. correct? 22 MS. HUTCHISON: I object as nonresponsive. 22 23 A. Yes. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Are you going to testify 23

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24 to the jury that you had no idea whether or not

25 Officer Dillard needed to continue to restrain

Q. So encompassed within that, you're saying that,

25 in order for Mr. Timpa to be properly restrained,

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- 1 Officer Dillard needed to use his weight on top of
- 2 Mr. Timpa to restrain him; correct?
- A. I can say he needed weight. How much weight
- 4 Officer Dillard put, I do not know. And how much he
- 5 needed to use, I wasn't at that portion of his body, so
- 6 I wouldn't know.
- Q. I understand. But in keeping with the -- the
- 8 way that you -- your expectations of Officer Dillard to
- restrain Mr. Timpa's upper half, you believed that he
- 10 was putting his body weight on top of Mr. Timpa to
- 11 restrain him; correct?
- 12 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague as to
- "body weight." 13
- A. I can only assume the amount of weight he was 14
- 15 placing on him.
- Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Well, if Mr. Timpa was
- 17 struggling to the point that you needed to continue to
- 18 restrain him, how did you expect Officer Dillard to
- 19 restrain him?
- A. With whatever he needed to do; however he
- 21 needed to do it.
- Q. Okay. So if Mr. Timpa wasn't struggling at 22
- 23 all, then Officer Dillard could have just used no
- 24 weight; right?
- A. In theory. 25

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- 1 before, you know, if we need to control them while we're
- 2 handcuffing. If they're no longer resisting, nobody's
- 3 no longer on top of them, and we're standing them up or
- getting them ready to transport.
  - Q. I'm not sure you understood my question.
  - MS. HUTCHISON: I'm going to object as
- 7 nonresponsive.
  - Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) If someone is not
- struggling, then there isn't any need to put weight on
- 10 them; correct?
- MS. GOWIN: Objection. Incomplete 11
- 12 hypothetical. Calls for speculation.
  - A. If they're no longer struggling and resisting,
- 14 at that point, we wouldn't have weight on them because
- we would be getting them ready to -- to leave.
- Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Or putting them in the 16
- recovery position? 17
  - A. Yes.
- 19 MS. GOWIN: Objection --
  - A. If need -- if that need is -- if -- if that is
- 21 needed.

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- Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Well, that's always needed 22
- when someone's being restrained on their stomach, isn't
- 24 it? As soon as -- as soon as it's safe to do, that's
- 25 always needed?

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- 2 somebody's not struggling, you don't need to put weight 2
- 3 on them, do you?
- A. Well, but Mr. Timpa was resisting.
- Q. So what I'm saying, if Mr. Timpa hadn't been

Q. Well, I'm talking about in practice. If

- 6 struggling, you wouldn't have needed to put weight on
- him; right?
- MS. GOWIN: Objection. Incomplete
- 9 hypothetical. Calls for speculation.
- A. That's totally if -- an "if" situation. 10
- Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Yes, it is. 11
- A. So if things would have went that way, then, in
- 13 theory, yes, he could have not been on him.
- Q. Okay. And so, in order to justify an officer
- 15 placing weight on top of somebody who's prone, that
- person has to be struggling; right?
- MS. GOWIN: Objection. Incomplete 17
- 18 hypothetical.

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- 19 A. To some extent, yes.
  - Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) If someone's not
- 21 struggling, why else would you put weight on top of
- 22 them, body weight?
- MS. GOWIN: Objection. Incomplete 23
- 24 hypothetical. Calls for speculation.
  - A. So in a dynamic takedown, as we discussed

- A. When it's --
  - MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates evidence.
- Incomplete hypothetical. Calls for speculation.
- A. If the person is no longer resisting and we're
- 5 ready to transport, there's no need for a recovery. You
- 6 just pick them up and put them in whichever vehicle you
- are transporting them in.
- Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) I'm -- I'm not talking 8
- about transport, Officer.
- A. You're asking me about recovery. Correct? 10
  - Q. I'm saying that weren't you taught -- it's
- 11 right there in your slides -- that, as soon as it's safe
- to do so, you put someone in the recovery position? 13
- 14 It doesn't say anything about transport, does
- 15 it?

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- A. It -- everything leads to transport.
- 17 Q. Okay.
- A. So if I don't need to put them in recovery 18
- because it's time to transport, I'll just transport
- them. They'll be seated or laying down on the gurney.
- It's either laying on the gumey or sitting in the back
- 22 seat of a squad car.
- 23 Q. I see what you're saying. So, as soon as it's
- safe to do so, you get them up, whether it's to seat
- them in the recovery position, put them in a gurney,

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Page 175 Page 173 1 ones you're taking off, he's moving his fingers to try 1 transport them, whatever reason, as soon as --2 to grab your hand. Q. -- it's safe to do so, you get them out of the Is that what you're saying? 4 prone position; is that fair? A. Yes, he's flexing his hand, trying to grab my A. Yes. hand, as I'm trying to remove the cuffs. 5 Q. And does he ever -- does -- does he ever grab Q. Okay. So it stands to reason that, if they 7 remain in the prone position with weight on them, it's your hand? A. I can't recall if he did. I think -- not because they're resisting? necessarily grabbing hold, a grip, but I was able to MS. GOWIN: Objection. Incomplete pull my hand away. 10 hypothetical. Calls for speculation. Q. Okay. So the answer to my question as to A. Yes. If they are resisting, yes. whether or not he ever grabbed your hand is, "No, he did 12 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. And if they're not 13 not"? 13 resisting, that's when you -- or if they stop resisting, MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates 14 that's when you get them out of the prone position for 14 15 testimony. 15 whatever you're going to do? A. I'm saying he attempted, and it felt like he 16 16 MS. GOWIN: Objection, Incomplete was about to grab my hand but didn't get a grip, and so 17 hypothetical. Calls for speculation. I pulled my hand away. A. Yes. If feasible and safe, yes. MS. HUTCHISON: I object as nonresponsive. 19 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. So in terms of 19 20 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) I didn't ask you about 20 how -- how much he was struggling, was there any point attempting. I didn't ask you about trying. I didn't 21 where you were interacting with Mr. Timpa where you were ask you about maybe. My question is, it's true that he 22 out of breath? never grabbed your hand; correct? 23 A. I can't recall if I was out of breath, MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates 24 Q. I mean, from the parts that I recall listening 25 testimony. 25 to, you seem pretty calm. Page 174 Page 176 A. I'm saying he attempted, and I pulled my hand Do you remember that? 1 away when I felt his hand --2 A. Yes. MS. HUTCHISON: I --3 O. Okay. And that you were talking in a normal 3 A. -- about to get my hand. 4 tone of voice? 4 MS. HUTCHISON: I object as nonresponsive. 5 A. Yes. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Sir, you understand I'm not Q. So what was -- what were Tony's hands doing 7 asking you about attempts. that you're saying was resisting you -- was it removing Do you understand that? 8 the cuffs or putting the cuffs on? A. Yes, you're asking me if he grabbed my hand. 9 9 A. Both. 10 Q. Yes, sir, not whether he attempted to or tried Q. What were his hands doing? A. His hands were pulling away from me, and he -to or you moved your hand. 11 12 do I demonstrate --A. I guess what I'm trying to say is that he

Q. Sure.

A. -- with my hands? 14

Q. Sure.

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A. So he's handcuffed, and he's doing something

17 like this and keeps pulling, trying to grab my hand,

18 attempting to grab my fingers and my hand as I'm trying

19 to take off handcuffs.

When I'm trying to put them on, he's constantly 20 21 pulling away, but I can't do it because my hand's not

22 behind me. But he's pulling away or he's kind of, like,

23 lifting his hands so I can't get in between and

24 constantly trying to grab my hand.

Q. So he's moving his finger -- so one -- on the

attempted, and he almost did, but I managed to pull my

14 hand away.

Q. So the answer to my question is, no, he did not 15

grab your hand --16

MS. GOWIN: Objection.

Q. -- correct?

MS. GOWIN: Objection. Asked and answered. 19

A. To fully hold a grip of my hand, no.

Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Now, when the paramedic

walked over, leaned down, and put the clippy on his 22

finger, how long did the clip remain there?

A. Oh, I do not know. And I believe that was 24

prior to me changing out the handcuffs.

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Page 177 Page 179 Q. Okay. I wasn't relating that to you changing 1 "Hey, can we just sit him up, and you can do it while 2 out the handcuffs. 2 he's sitting up"? A. Not that I recall, no. A. Okay. Q. I just said, when the paramedic walked over and Q. But you no longer felt it necessary to have 4 your knees on top of Mr. Timpa? 5 put the pulse oximeter on his finger, do you know how A. No, not at this point. 6 long it remained there? Q. So, apparently, he wasn't struggling or A. No, I do not. resisting enough for you to use your knees to restrain Q. Did he ever grab the paramedic's hand at that him; correct? point? A. I don't believe so. A. Yes, correct. 10 10 11 Q. Did the paramedic express any concern or worry 11 Q. And you didn't use both hands to try to restrain him? 12 about being near Mr. Timpa? A. No, not to me at least. 13 A. No. 13 Q. Do you remember who it was that said, in the Q. And you didn't use your feet to step on him or 14 14 15 video, "Roll him over"? 15 do anything like that to try to restrain him? MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague. When? 16 A. No, ma'am. 16 A. Where in the video? Q. So at this point, he was struggling so little 17 17 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Well, do you remember or resisting so little that you just used one hand and 18 19 anyone at any point saying, "Hey, roll him over"? placed it on him; correct? 19 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague. 20 20 A. Yes. A. Not off the top of my head. 21 Q. I mean, you weren't like leaning all your 21 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Or "Roll him out," either weight on it or anything, were you? 22 23 of those two things? A. No, ma'am. 23 24 A. Not off the top of my head, no. Q. So you were using one hand without putting your Q. What were you doing when the paramedic took his 25 body weight on it? Page 180 Page 178 A. Correct. 1 blood pressure? O. But he was still on his stomach? A. That's not the thing on his finger, is it? Q. No, it's the --A. Yes. 3 O. And Officer Dillard was still on his back? A. The actual cuff thing --MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague as to "on his Q. Yeah, the cuff with the --5 6 back." A. -- that they listen to --6 Q. Yes. There was a -- Mr. -- I can't -- I 7 A. I -- I believe so, yes. 7 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Was Mr. Timpa struggling or 8 don't --8 9 MS. GOWIN: Flores. resisting at that point? MS. HUTCHISON: Flores. I don't know why A. I remember Mr. Timpa going, like, in and out. 10 So he'd calm down, and then he'll spark back up, and 11 that --MS. GOWIN: The paramedic. 12 then he'll calm down, and then he'll spark back up. So 12 13 MS. HUTCHISON: -- will not stick in my

14 head.

Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Mr. Flores had the 15

16 stethoscope and the cuff and the thing you pump up

17 and -- you know what I'm talking about?

A. Yes; yes, I know.

Q. Were you there when he did that? 19

20 A. Yes.

21 Q. What were you doing when he did that?

A. I was -- if I don't mistaken, I was at

23 Mr. Timpa's side. And I think, at this time, I had my

24 hand kind of postured over Mr. Timpa's lower back.

25 Q. Did you ask anybody, including the paramedic, 13 he had -- I don't know the best word to describe it.

But he had spontaneous moments.

Q. I'm talking about when the paramedic was taking

his blood pressure.

17 A. I can't recall if -- if he was moving or if --

how much he was moving. 18

Q. So I'm going to go to 8:19 and ask you to hear

20 who says, "Y'all want to roll him out."

21 I'll start it at 8:10. So 8:19 and then 8:32,

someone says, "Roll him over." I want to see if you can 22

identify either of those. 23

A. It's counting down but not playing. 24

Q. Okay. Sometimes -- it kind of has to sometimes

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Page 181 Page 183 (Vidco plays.) 1 catch up to itself. Well, it's acting up. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. So that's at 8:15. (Discussion off the record.) 3 MS. HUTCHISON: Okay. Where is that at? When does that happen? 4 MR. ADDISON: 8:14. All right. Yeah, 8:19 is when you say, "Y'all 5 MS. HUTCHISON: Okay. 8:14. want to roll him out," and then there's some discussion. And then at 8:32 is when someone says, "Roll him over." (Video plays.) 6 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) So I just want to stop it 7 7 So I'm just going to play it from here so I at that point. 8 quit messing with the -- if it'll play. 8 That's you, isn't it? 9 (Video plays.) A. Yes, it is. 10 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Did you hear the --10 Q. Okay. So you're saying you want -- you said, A. Yes, I heard it. 11 11 12 "Y'all want to roll him out?" Q. Okay. And who was it that said "Y'all want to 12 13 roll him over?" 14 Q. Who are you talking to? A. It sounded like Dillard. A. To the officers that were at his feet, which I 15 Q. Okay. Was there any response to that? 16 think it was Dominguez. It's Dominguez. Because they 16 A. I didn't hear any. 17 were having issues with his feet being underneath the 17 Q. Do you remember somebody saying, "Roll him 18 bench, so if they wanted to slide him out in order to 18 over"? get his feet. 19 A. No, I do not. Q. So when you say "Roll him out," you're talking 20 Q. Do you know why someone made that comment or 20 21 about just getting his feet out from under the bench? 21 statement or question or whatever it was, however you A. Yes. 22 want to characterize it? 23 Q. That's all? 23 A. No, I don't know why they said it. 24 A. Yes. 24 Q. You can see at this point -- so at 8, I guess, 25 Q. And what did they say? 25 43, you can see that Officer Dillard's still -- his --Page 184 Page 182 A. I can't recall what they say word for word. on Mr. Timpa's back with his knee in the back; correct? 2 What I can remember, I -- it ends up being that they're MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague as -- or object to the phrase "on his back." 3 like -- they say they're good. They manage to get 4 the -- the zip ties on -- on his feet. A. It appears that Officer Dillard has a hand and Q. Okay. And then, after that, after they say, a knee on Mr. Timpa. 6 "We got the -- we couldn't get the zip -- other zip tie Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) On his back? A. It appears that way. Yes, it appears that way. 7 over the heel, but we got it" -- by the way, do you know Q. Okay. And then who is it that's kind of who said that? Was -- if it was Officer Rivera? standing up facing Mr. Timpa's feet? A. I'm not sure if it was Rivera or Dominguez. 9 9 A. I do not know. Q. But those --10 10 Q. Who is it that's standing over by the police 11 11 MS. GOWIN: Did we play that part there? 12 MS. HUTCHISON: No. I'm getting to that. 12 car? MS. GOWIN: Okay. 13 A. I don't know. Perhaps the security guard. 13 14 Q. But you don't know? Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) But -- but it -- it was the 15 A. No, I do not. 15 two of them down there at his feet; right? Dominguez 16 and Rivera? 16 Q. The gurneys had straps on them; correct? 17 A. I don't know if it comes with the straps on 17 A. I believe so. them. I know they -- the EMTs have straps. Q. Okay. But that -- that's who you were talking 18 Q. So once somebody's put into a gurney, they --19 19 to is those two when you said, "Do you want to roll him they can be strapped down? 20 out?" 20 A. I've seen the buckle straps that they have for 21 21 A. Yes. them not to fall off. I don't know if those are the 22 Q. And they say, "Oh, we -- we got the zip tie

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23 over his feet." And then, after that, at 8:32, someone

24 says, "Roll him over."

Did we get this?

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ones you're referring to.

25 that was there for Mr. Timpa?

Q. Just whatever the straps were on the gurney

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       A. I remember them being that orange color,
                                                                                (Video plays.)
 2 buckle-type straps.
                                                                      A. There.
                                                                      Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. That was about 8:04
       Q. So someone can be strapped in using a buckle
                                                                3
 4 that -- that straps on the gumey?
                                                                4 or so?
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                                                                      A. Yes.
       A. Yes.
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                                                                      Q. Okay.
       Q. I'm going to switch this to Officer Dillard's
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                                                                                (Video plays.)
   dash cam, and then I'll be done. I just have a couple
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                                                                      A. There; right there.
   of --
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                                                                      Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) At 8- -- like 8:41-ish --
            MS. GOWIN: Okay. So we're going to
10 Dillard's dash cam --
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                                                                      A. Yes.
                                                                      O. -- or a couple of seconds --
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            MS. HUTCHISON: Yes.
                                                                        What was he doing there?
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            MS. GOWIN: -- or body cam now?
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                                                                      A. He -- he started to tense up, and he started
            MS. HUTCHISON: Yes.
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                                                               14 to -- to -- best word I can -- for lack of better words,
            MS. GOWIN: Okay.
14
                                                                  wiggle.
            MS. HUTCHISON: Body cam, not dash.
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                                                                      Q. Tense up and wiggle?
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            MS. GOWIN: Sure.
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                                                                      A. Uh-huh.
       Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) So I want to -- from 7:55
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                                                                      Q. Okay. Okay. So you're saying there he
18 to 9:43, I guess -- no. Wait. From 7:55 -- sorry. I'm
                                                               19
                                                                  tense -- was tense up and wiggle?
19 trying to figure out how -- when the blood pressure
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                                                                      A. Uh-huh.
   period of time is going.
                                                                      Q. I'm just saying that because you're saying
                                                               21
         Okay. So about 9:10 is when the paramedic's
21
                                                                   "uh-huh" and I --
                                                               22
22 taking the blood pressure. Okay. So I'm going to start
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                                                                      A. Oh, I'm sorry. Yes.
23 it at 7:55, and I want you to indicate where you believe
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                                                                      Q. Okay.
24 the video that we're looking at reflects Mr. Timpa
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                                                                                (Video plays.)
25 struggling and resisting. Okay?
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                                                                      A. There, he's moving.
       A. Okay.
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                                                                      Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. Where he was lifting
            MS. GOWIN: Do you just want him to say it
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 2
                                                                  up his head?
 3 as it goes? How do you want him to indicate it?
                                                                      A. Lifting up his head. He's twisting his body.
       Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) What -- what would be
 5 easiest for you? To say it as it goes, and we'll stop
                                                                5
                                                                      O. Okay.
   it and look? Or for you to write down the time?
                                                                                (Video plays.)
                                                                      Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. So that goes to
       A. I guess probably announce it every time I see
 7
                                                                8 about 9:12. Did you hear him saying, "Kill me, my
 8 it.
                                                                  friend. Kill me"?
 9
       Q. Okay.
                                                                      A. It sounds something like that. "Kill me" or I
       A. I don't want to forget anything.
                                                               10
                                                                  believe he says "I want to die" or "I need to die,"
       Q. Okay. Maybe. All right. I'm going to try to
                                                                  something of that nature.
12 start it at 7:50. See if that works. What did I say,
                                                                      Q. Okay. And did that indicate to you that he was
13 until about 9:10?
                                                               13
       A. Yes.
                                                                  in mental distress?
14
       Q. Okay. So when you think it shows, you know --
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                                                                      A. It being -- him -- I don't remember hearing him
16 actually, if you don't mind, I'll -- I can walk and look
                                                               16 say that then. From where I was sitting, I don't recall
17 that way so I can write down the time real quick, unless
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                                                                  if I could hear him or not.
                                                                      Q. Where were you sitting?
18 you don't like me standing over there, which I get.
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                                                                      A. Behind Dillard. I was --
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       A. That's fine.
                                                                      O. On --
       Q. Okay.
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                                                                      A. I was behind Dillard. So that's Dillard's body
            (Discussion off the record.)
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       Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) All right. I'll start it
                                                               22 camera. So that --
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                                                                      Q. Yes.
23 there, if it'll work, at 7:50. We'll go to about 9:10,
                                                               23
24 and you just be, like, go, "There." And I'll write it
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                                                                      A. I can't recall if I heard that when he said it.
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                                                                      Q. Okay. But when you say you were sitting behind
25 down and reach over and stop it.
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Page 189 Page 191 1 Dillard, at this point in time, you were still on A. So at that instant and time when I say that, I 2 Mr. Timpa? Your knees were on him? was assuming that this was, aside from a mental health issue, that -- that it's very possible that he took some A. No. This is the blood pressure moment. So I kind of drug. 4 am off to his side with my hand on his lower back. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) I mean, that's pretty Q. Oh, okay. I got you. That's the point where obviously why you said that; right? 6 you're saying you reached in --7 A. Right. A. Yes. Q. So you had the opinion that he was acting 8 Q. -- with one hand? Okay. So you've got one hand on Mr. Timpa on MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague as to 10 his back, but you're saying you don't know whether you 10 11 heard him saying, "Kill me. Kill me, my friend"? 11 "crazy." 12 A. Yes. I -- I hear it in the video. In the 12 A. I -- I knew he was acting out of -- out of 13 video you just showed me, you could hear it. But from normality or -- or, yes, acting differently. 13 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) What's normal -- or let me 14 where I was, I don't recall hearing it. 14 Q. And it's your belief or your position in this ask you it this way. 15 "This ain't just normal crazy. There's no way 16 lawsuit that, even with all of the officers on hand and 16 this is normal crazy." What does that mean? 17 what we just saw in the video, that that blood pressure 17 A. Somebody just suffering from a mental health 18 could not have been taken with Mr. Timpa sitting up or issue where they're suicidal or wanting to hurt others in a stretcher? MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for or something like that. That this was perhaps in 20 combination thereof of some kind of substance and his speculation. Lack of foundation. 22 A. I mean, I couldn't assume what the EMTs prefer. They didn't say -- they didn't ask us to have him in a 23 Q. And then, at some point, somebody kind of bends 23 down on one knee and says, "I want to make sure" --24 certain position for it. something about his breathing. I can't remember exactly 25 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Yes, sir. I'm asking you, Page 190 Page 192 1 the words. And then saying his nose is buried. 1 as -- as one of the officers restraining Mr. Timpa, Do you remember that? 2 do -- are you taking the position, one way or the other, 3 as to whether or not that could have been done with him A. Yes. 4 sitting up or in a -- in a stretcher? O. Do you know who that was? MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for A. I believe that was Officer Dominguez. 5 Q. Okay. You want me to show it to you? Would 6 speculation. Lack of foundation. A. I don't know if it could or if it couldn't. 7 that help? A. Yes, that would help. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Do you remember hearing 9 Officer Dillard say that he took something? That it's Q. Okay. It's at 12:41. I'll do it at 12:38. 9 10 not -- "This is not schizophrenia. He took something." 10 (Video plays.) Do you remember that? 11 A. That was Officer Dominguez. 11 A. Yes, I remember -- I -- I don't remember if Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. At that point in 13 those were the exact words. But, yes, I remember him time, Officer Dominguez was just kneeling down nearby; 14 saying he took something. correct? Q. Okay. 15 A. Correct. 15 A. Or he ought -- took something or something to 16 Q. Was there anybody that was on Mr. Timpa's feet 16 17 that nature. 17 or legs? Q. Do you remember somebody saying, "This ain't 18 18 A. Oh, I can't recall. 19 just normal crazy, man. He's on something. There's no Q. Do you know what Mr. Timpa was doing with his 19 way this is normal crazy"? 20 fect or legs at that time? 21 A. That was myself. 21 A. At that specific time, I cannot remember. 22 Q. So you were of the opinion, at the time, that 22 Q. And it's about at that point where Mr. Timpa 23 Mr. Timpa was on something? 23 completely stops moving; correct?

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A. I don't know the exact timing of it.

Q. Okay. Let me show you. We'll go to 12:22.

MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague as to at --

25 on -- "at the time."

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                                                                     O. And then there's some comments like "First day.
            MS. GOWIN: 12:22, you said?
            MS. HUTCHISON: We're going to go to 12:15
                                                               2 Can't be late. Big breakfast, Scrambled eggs."
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                                                                       That was Officer Dominguez; right?
 3
   because -
            MS. GOWIN: Okay.
                                                                     A. I believe so, yes.
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            MS. HUTCHISON: -- that's as close as I can
                                                                     Q. And then "Waffles," was that you?
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                                                                     A. That was me, ma'am.
   get.
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                                                                     Q. The "Rooty, tooty, fruity waffles," was that
            MS. GOWIN: Sure. No, that's all right.
                                                               7
 7
                                                               8 you?
                (Video plays.)
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                                                                     A. Yes, that was.
      O. (By Ms. Hutchison) Did you hear somebody say,
                                                                     Q. Okay. And so, during this period of time where
10 has he -- "Did he acknowledge you" or something like
                                                              10
                                                              11 those comments were being made, the paramedic comes in
                                                              12 to give him a shot of Versed; right?
      A. Yes.
      Q. Was that you?
                                                                     A. I don't know what he was giving him. I know he
13
      A. No. That was Officer Dominguez.
                                                              14 gave him a shot.
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      Q. Okay. Okay. From the -- from that time, from
                                                                     Q. Okay. A shot.
                                                                       During any of this period of time, where y'all
16 the time of someone saying, "Tony, you still with us" --
                                                               16
17 by the way, do you -- do you know who that was?
                                                              17 are making these comments or the paramedic gives him a
      A. That was Officer Dominguez.
                                                                 shot or at any time after, did Mr. Timpa ever move
      Q. Okay. From that time on, do you recall
                                                              19
                                                                  again?
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                                                                     A. Yes, I remember him moving when he got the
20 Mr. Timpa moving at all?
      A. I remember him moving his head.
                                                                  shot. His head moves when he gets the shot. And then I
      Q. After the point that he said, "Tony, you still
                                                              22 can't recall. I remember him moving when he gets the
22
23 with us?"
                                                                 shot though.
                                                                     Q. Were you aware that the medical examiner
24
      A. Yes.
                                                              24
                                                              25 testified that he was already dead when he got the shot?
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      Q. Okay.
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       A. I believe I saw him move his head.
                                                                          MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for
                                                               2 attorney-client communication.
       Q. All right. Let's -- we'll play it, and you
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                                                                          I'm going to instruct you not to answer.
   tell -- tell me where.
 3
                                                                     Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. Other than anything
                 (Video plays.)
                                                                 your lawyer told you, were you aware that the medical
       A. There.
 5
                                                                6 examiner testified that Mr. Timpa was already dead when
       Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. So at like
 6
                                                                  he got the shot?
    12:30-something, you're saying?
                                                                          MS. GOWIN: Same objection. Same
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       A. Yes. Right after you hit play, he moved.
                                                                  instruction.
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                 (Video plays.)
                                                                          MS. HUTCHISON: Well, I just asked -- I
                                                               10
       A. Right there. So it's about 12:47, -8.
10
                                                                  just said "other than what your lawyer told you."
       Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. 12:47.
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         And see about after that.
                                                                          MS. GOWIN: And you can answer, other than
12
                                                                  anything that you have discussed with your lawyers.
13
                 (Video plays.)
       Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) I'm going to pause there
                                                               14
                                                                     A. No.
14
                                                                     O. (By Ms. Hutchison) But it's your contention
15 for a second.
                                                               15
                                                               16 that he wasn't dead at that time?
       A. Okay.
16
       Q. The -- the person that whistled, that went
                                                               17
                                                                          MS. GOWIN: Objection.
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                                                              18
   (descriptive sound) "Back to school," was that you or
                                                                     A. That's --
                                                                           MS. GOWIN: I'm sorry.
   Officer Dominguez?
                                                               19
       A. I don't know who that was. I don't remember
                                                                           Objection: Calls for speculation. Lack of
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21 whistling.
                                                              21 foundation.
22
       Q. Okay. And then some other person says, "I
                                                               22
                                                                     A. At the time, I didn't believe Mr. Timpa to be
23
   don't want to go to school, Mom."
                                                               23
                                                                  dead, no.
                                                                     Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) When did you believe him to
24
         That's you; right?
                                                               24
25
       A. Yes, ma'am.
                                                               25 be dead?
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Page 199 Page 197 A. When I was told by Sergeant Mansell that he was It was determined that you ridiculed and 2 belittled Mr. Timpa; correct? 2 no longer breathing. Q. So when you say you saw him move when he got A. By the police department? 3 Q. Yes. 4 the shot -- let me rephrase my question. 4 A. Yes. 5 At any time after the point in time where Q. And it's your position that you were not 6 someone said "Tony, you still with us," was Mr. Timpa belittling or ridiculing him because the reason that you 7 resisting or struggling? said those things was to try to get him to respond; A. No. correct? Q. And is it your con- -- your, I guess, position 10 A. That is correct. 10 that the comments that you made to Mr. Timpa, about Q. Despite the fact that, in the entire time up 11 being late for school and having waffles and all of 11 12 until that point in time, you had not been able to 12 that, was made for a particular purpose? engage him in conversation; correct? 13 14 A. That is correct. 14 Q. And is that the "Well, we hoped to engage him" 15 Q. And then do you remember someone saying, "He 15 purpose? just got quiet," and then someone says, "All of a A. Yes. 16 sudden, he just" (descriptive sound)? 17 Q. So you and Mr. Dominguez had this idea that you Do you recall that? 18 18 would use comments that were basically making fun of him A. No, I do not recall. 19 19 to see if you could get a reaction from him? Q. I'm trying to figure out if that was you. It's 20 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates the at like -- we're going to go to 14:34-ish when he gives 21 evidence and the testimony and, frankly, just harassing. him a shot. I'm going to go to 14:32. 22 You can answer. 23 So 14:32. Mr. Timpa has -- is not resisting, A. Okay. The comments that I made were to elicit 23 24 he's not struggling; correct? 24 a response from Mr. Timpa. At no time was I trying to A. I would assume. I can't remember from the 25 make fun of him or ridicule him. It was to elicit a Page 200 Page 198 1 video. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Well, lest I be accused of O. Well --3 harassing you, I mean, you got disciplined for making MS. GOWIN: Can you back it up a couple of seconds just so he can see where he is? 4 fun of him, didn't you? MS. HUTCHISON: Sure. I'll back -- I'm A. I got disciplined for my comments, yes. Q. Because it was determined that you were making going to back it up to 12:22. Actually, I'll back it up 7 fun of him; right? to 12:09. MS. GOWIN: Objection. I think that 8 MS. GOWIN: Dillard still; correct? 8 9 misstates the evidence. 9 MS. HUTCHISON: Correct. A. Yes, I got in trouble for my comments. Yes. 10 MS. GOWIN: Okay. 10 MS, HUTCHISON: Or 12:06. That's as close Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) And the reason you got in 11 12 trouble for your comments is it was determined that you 12 as I can get. 13 were saying them to make fun of him; correct? MS. GOWIN: That's fine. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) And tell me if, at any MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates evidence. 14 14 point from 12:06 to 15:13, if Mr. Timpa's struggling or A. I received my reprimand for violating code of 15 16 conduct in our general orders. 16 resisting. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) And how was it determined 17 (Video plays.) 17 18 you violated the code of conduct? Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) All right. Did you -- did you see any place in -- up through 15 -- minute 15 or so 19 A. Because of my statements. Q. What about your statements violated the code of where he was resisting or struggling? 20 A. No, not in the video, ma'am, no. 21 conduct? 21 A. They stated -- or the GO states that I Q. Are you saying that there was evidence outside 22

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of the video that -- in those three minutes, that Mr. Timpa was resisting or struggling?

A. I cannot recall that -- him resisting outside

23 belittled or ridiculed, along with a list of other

Q. Okay. I'll use those -- their words then.

24 things.

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                                                                       Q. -- somebody was talking in a funny voice?
 1 the video.
                                                                         That -- part of that wasn't you?
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      Q. Okay. And did Officer Dillard, as far as you
                                                                       A. I don't recall doing that, no. I don't recall
3 can tell in the -- in the video, remain on -- with a
                                                                 3
                                                                   me con- -- in -- in that conversation.
 4 knee and hand on Mr. Timpa's back during those three
                                                                       Q. Okay. Because the voice talking in a funny
 5 minutes?
                                                                   voice sounds similar to the one about being late for
       A. It appears from the video that way.
                                                                    school and going "Oh, Mom." And --
       Q. Okay. Did you hear the comment about "All of a
                                                                            MS. GOWIN: Objection. Asked and answered.
 8 sudden, he went" (descriptive sound)? Did you hear
                                                                    He said he doesn't recall.
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                                                                       Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) I just want you to -- let
       A. Yes.
10
                                                                11 me...
       Q. Was that you?
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                                                                         So at what point are you saying you realized he
      A. I don't recall saying it, but it sounds like
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                                                                13
                                                                   was dead?
13 me.
                                                                       A. When Sergeant Mansell walked up to me and told
                                                                14
      Q. Okay. But you don't remember saying that?
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                                                                   me that he was no longer breathing.
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       A. No. I don't.
                                                                       Q. Okay. So getting him on the stretcher, you
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       Q. Do you -- did you hear the conversation with
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                                                                   didn't realize he was dead?
17 the paramedic about putting the narcotic into guns and
                                                                       A. No. I thought I saw him move his head.
18 shooting them from the car or something like that?
                                                                       Q. You thought you saw him move -- move his head
       A. Oh, yes, I heard it.
                                                                   where? On the stretcher or --
       Q. And where you were -- you said something like,
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20
                                                                       A. Uh-huh.
21 "Wait for it" or -- was that you?
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                                                                       Q. -- getting him on the stretcher?
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       A. That was Dominguez.
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                                                                       A. On the stretcher.
       Q. Oh, okay. But did you participate in that
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                                                                       Q. Okay. Let's see. I'll start it at 15:09.
24 conversation?
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                                                                                 (Video plays.)
       A. I can't recall me participating in it. I -- I
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                                                                       Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Did you see the point where
 1 don't recall participating in it.
       Q. Okay. So you didn't -- you don't think any of
                                                                   you thought his head moved?
                                                                       A. Yes.
 3 that sounded like you?
                                                                       Q. Oh, where was it?
      A. I don't think so. I can't recall, to be -- to
                                                                       A. Oh, I'm sorry.
 5 be exact.
                                                                       Q. I'm sorry.
      Q. All right. And then at some point somebody
                                                                 6
 7 said, "Let's get him on the stretcher." Right?
                                                                       A. I didn't know I was supposed to --
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                                                                       O. I -- I wasn't clear about that.
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      A. Yes.
                                                                         Do you recall where that was?
       Q. Do you know who that was?
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                                                                       A. No. I know I said it, I saw it, or I -- it
      A. No, if -- if you want to put it on the video, I
11 can probably distinguish the voice.
                                                                    appeared to me that he moved his head. I'm not sure if
       Q. I think it was probably Mr. Flores, but let me
                                                                    it's in the camera or in the screen.
                                                                       Q. Okay.
                                                                13
13 sec if you...
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                                                                            MS. HUTCHISON: I'll pass the witness.
14
            MS. GOWIN: Do you have an approximate time
                                                                            MR. ADDISON: You want to take a quick
15 mark?
                                                                15
            MS. HUTCHISON: Yeah.
                                                                16 break?
16
            MS. GOWIN: When you get it.
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                                                                            MS. GOWIN: Sure. Yeah, that's fine.
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            MS. HUTCHISON: 14:48. No. 14:40.
                                                                            THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Off the record at 2:38.
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                                                                             (Break from 2:38 to 2:49.)
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                (Vidco plays.)
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       Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Did you hear that?
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                                                                            THE VIDEOGRAPHER: On the record at 2:49.
                                                                                  EXAMINATION
       A. Yeah. I don't know who that is.
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21
       Q. Okay. And did you hear some more of the
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                                                                    BY MR. ADDISON:
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23 discussion about having the narcotic in guns and stuff
                                                                       Q. Officer Vasquez, I want to ask you a couple of
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                                                                   quick questions on the video real quick. The first I
24 and --
       A. Yeah, I heard it.
                                                                25 want to go to is the -- this is Dillard's -- sorry.
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Page 205 Page 207 1 This is your body cam, and I'm going to start it on second page? A. That is correct. Q. And, I guess, this is a recitation of -- of There's a statement that's made around 1:28 3 4 your memory of what happened the night of the incident; 4 that says, "Just keep him down." I want you to listen 5 correct? and tell me if you recognize who is saying that A. That is correct. Q. If you'll go to the third paragraph with me, it Does that make sense? 8 says, "Around approximately 10:30 p.m." 8 A. Yes. Do you see that? 9 Q. Okay. So I don't even know if you need to see 10 the video necessarily, but... 10 A. Yes, I do. 11 (Video plays.) 11 Q. And I want to -- I you want you to read along Q. (By Mr. Addison) Did you hear that, just --12 or at least follow along with me. 12 13 did you hear that, "Just keep him down"? It says, "Around approximately 10:30 p.m., 13 A. Yes. Officer Dillard and I were added to a call as a cover 14 Q. Do you know who said that? element at 1720 West Mockingbird Lane for a signal 46 15 15 A. It sounds like me. 16 CIT." Q. Do you recall saying that out there at the 17 17 Do you see that? 18 scene? 18 A. Yes. A. I don't recall it, but it sounds like me. 19 Q. What is a signal 46 CIT? Q. Then I also want to go to -- I'm going to go to A. It is the code that we are given for a 20 21 your body cam again, and I'm going to start at 8:30. possible, like, mental health patient or subject that is 22 And I'm just going to play a couple of seconds, and... suffering from mental illness. 23 Can you see that? Q. And so it -- when you receive that call, you 23 24 A. Yes. 24 know that you're walking into a situation where somebody (Video plays.) 25 is suffering some sort of mental problem; is that Page 208 Page 206 1 correct? Q. (By Mr. Addison) And if I pause it right here, A. Correct, it could be. 2 like 8:32, can you see that, at this point, Mr. Timpa's legs now have those legs cuffs on them, the zip ties? Q. And then, if we read the next sentence, it 4 says, "Call notes indicated that the complainant A. It --5 called 911 for assistance and stated that he was a Q. Zip cuffs? 6 schizophrenic with depression, off his medication, A. -- appears like it, yes. 7 and was scared about the person he was with at the Q. Okay. And at that point, did you know that 8 Mr. Timpa -- Timpa, I guess, at that point, had 8 location." 9 handcuffs and leg cuffs on? 9 Do you see that? 10 A. Yes. A. Yes. Q. And after those leg cuffs were attached, Q. And then it says, "A second call came in to 911 11 12 about a white male, later identified as the complainant, 12 Mr. Timpa was not moved to a recovery position until he 13 was put on the gurney; correct? Anthony Timpa, running in traffic on Mockingbird Lane, A. That is correct. yelling that somebody was after him, and attempting to 14 Q. If you'll go to Exhibit 18 in that book? 15 climb onto a DART bus." 15 16 Do you see that? 16 A. (Complies.) Q. This is an affidavit. It purports to be by 17 17 Q. And it says, "Call notes additionally indicated 18 you. Let me ask you to look it over real quick and see 18 that a second caller, a security guard, felt Mr. Timpa 19 if you recognize it. may be on drugs and was concerned for Mr. Timpa's 20 A. Yes, it's my IAD --20 21 Q. I -- I'm sorry? 21 safety." 22 A. It's my IAD statement. 22 Do you see that? 23 Q. Did you type out this statement yourself? 23 A. Yes, I do. A. Yes, alongside my -- my attorney. 24 Q. At least when I read this, I read this as this 25 Q. And, I guess, is that your signature on the is the call notes that came in to you when y'all respond

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Page 209 Page 211 1 to the scene; is that correct? MS. GOWIN: I think you misread the word --A. Not entirely. one of the words in the last sentence. You said Q. Okay. And what -- what is not -- which part of 3 "physician." It says "physical." 4 this is not part of the call notes that y'all receive 5 MR. ADDISON: I'm sorry. Physical. 5 when you respond to the scene? Q. (By Mr. Addison) Sorry. You see that? A. The second phone call. A. Yes. Q. Okay. But you -- so you've -- so when we're Q. And I guess the -- so it looks like the -- what 8 talking the notes that when you got the call on the you've learned is that delirium is a -- some sort of 9 scene, signal 46 CIT call, and that the complainant was mental state that somebody is on or -- or some sort of 10 a schizophrenic with depression, off his medication, and 11 scared of somebody; is that correct? mental condition that somebody might be under; is that 12 correct? 12 A. That is correct. 13 A. Correct. 13 Q. And at that point, you're not there for -- to 14 Q. And so, when you get a call of somebody, it's a 14 effect an arrest, are you? 15 schizophrenic, signal 46 CIT call, why are you not 15 thinking delirium? Q. And I think you're talking about an APOWW; 16 A. I am unaware of his current state. I -- all I 17 right? know is that he was schizophrenic and depressed, off his 18 18 A. Yes. 19 medication. 19 Q. Which is an apprehension by peace officer Q. And it's a CIT call; correct? 20 20 without warrant; correct? 21 A. All in one, yes. 21 A. Correct. 22 Q. And so isn't that his current state? Isn't 22 Q. So that's not an arrest. It's an apprehension 23 that what you're responding to, his current state? 23 to get somebody into the hospital, I guess, for A. His current state at this time and moment, from 24 24 treatment or something to that effect; correct? 25 the information I've gathered, which is whatever showed A. Correct. 25 Page 210 Page 212 Q. And in that situation, are you immediately in 1 up on the MDC, is that he's schizophrenic, depression, 2 tune that this could be an excited delirium case? 2 off his medication. A. No. Q. And so -- and so you're saying that that would 4 not, I guess, qualify as delirium under this definition Q. And why not? A. No prior knowledge of Mr. Timpa. Don't know up here? Or what it says, delirium is a sudden severe 6 what's going on. I haven't arrived at the scene. I confusion and rapid change in brain function that 7 haven't seen him personally. occurs -- well, you know what? Let's move on. Q. And if we can go to -- I think it's the slides 8 The -- the fourth slide on here, "What it means 8 to us." 9 that we have, Exhibit 36. 9 10 A. (Complies.) 10 Do you see this? 11 Q. Now, this is from the excited delirium class 11 A. Yes. Q. And it says, "Officers need a way to describe 12 you took. And if you go to the first page, second 13 slide, it says, "Delirium is a sudden severe confusion subjects." And it says, "We do not make a diagnosis. 14 and rapid change in brain function that occurs with Excited delirium is a state with many potential 15 physical or mental illness. It is a state in which diagnoses." Is that correct? 16 there is an altered level of consciousness with MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague. 16 17 impairment of cognition and perception. Currently not a Is that what it says, or is --17 MR. ADDISON: Yeah, is that what it says. 18 diagnosis on its own, but rather a symptom of underlying 18 19 disorders. Ranges from quiet to agitated, excited, with 19 MS. GOWIN: -- he agreeing with what it 20 no reliable indicators of impending death. In an 20 says? 21 excited state, is a medical emergency, which physician 21 A. Excited delirium is a state with many potential 22 (sic) control is -- in which physician (sic) control is di- -- yes, I see it. 22 23 needed prior to treatment procedures." Q. (By Mr. Addison) Okay. It says, "The 23 24 Do you see that? underlying diagnosis is initially irrelevant." 24 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Do you see that? 25 25

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Page 213 Page 215 A. Okay. A. Yes. Q. It says, "When practical, use a control team Q. And then it says, "May result from psychiatric takedown, five-man takedown, required (sic) to control 3 illness, drug intoxication, or both." And it says, at the very bottom, "Subject's the sub- -- subject." Was a five-team takedown used in this case? 5 behavior determines officer response." Do you see that? 6 6 Q. Have you ever used a five-team takedown in the 7 A. Yes. field? 8 Q. And, again, this is your training and this is 8 A. Not that I can recall. your material that you're supposed to learn or you --10 that you did learn saying that this is something that 10 Q. Have you -- so do you know of any other 11 you can easily diagnose. So there's -- or you do not officers that have? 12 make a diagnosis of. But you're responding to, I guess, 12 A. I'm pretty sure there's multiple officers that 13 is a -- some sort of psychiatric illness, drug 13 have. Q. And have you -- do you know any that have ever 14 intoxication, or both; correct? 14 said, "I've done a five-team takedown"? MS. GOWIN: Objection. Misstates the 15 15 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague. Any officer 16 16 evidence. 17 A. Again, I -- I know I'm responding to a -ever or... 17 MR. ADDISON: Any officer that he -- that 18 something with -- a subject with a mental illness 18 19 because he's schizophrenic and depression -- and he's he knows of --20 depressed -- he suffers from depression, off his 20 MS. GOWIN: Okay. MR. ADDISON: -- that's done a five-team medications. That's what I know at the time. 21 22 takedown. 22 Q. (By Mr. Addison) A psychiatric illness; 23 correct? 23 A. Yeah, possibly. Q. (By Mr. Addison) When you say "possibly," I 24 A. Yes. Q. Okay. And that is what is the underlying 25 guess that -- that indicates to me that you don't 25 Page 216 Page 214 1 necessarily know or that you don't know of --1 diagnosis is initially irrelevant, and it may result A. I can't recall --2 from a psychiatric -- psychiatric illness. This is the 3 Q. -- any other officers? 3 delirium slide. A. -- somebody specifically saying, "Hey, I did a Do you see that? 5 five-man take- -- you know, a five-man takedown." A. Where it says it on here, I see it. Q. So why does that still not raise the specter of Q. Okay. So with the five-man takedown, is that a 7 restraint position, or is that just a movement to get excited delirium when you're responding to a signal 46 8 CIT call with schizophrenia -- schizophrenic, off his somebody to a restraint position? 9 A. It is a movement to get them to the prone 9 meds? A. Initially, it's -- it's -- I don't diagnose. I 10 position. Q. Okay. And what's the purpose of getting them 11 11 can't say he's -- he is in excited delirium. to the prone position? Q. And then so and would it --12 A. All I have was what I have in front of me, A. It's the more tactical and safe position to 13 14 handcuff someone. which is schizophrenic, depression, off his medication. 15 Q. Okay. And then, once you get them handcuffed, Q. And, I guess, if -- if -- and let's go to the 15 what's the next procedure? 16 second page. 17 A. As I stated before, that it's either to 17 A. (Complies.) transport to a medical facility or transport them to 18 Q. It says control -- or "Contain and Protect," 18 the fifth slide. And it's talking about officer safety. 19 jail. Q. Okay. And on this "Control and Stabilize," it Actually, let's go to the sixth slide, which is 20 20 says, "While the actual takedown might -- may -- may be "Control and Stabilize." 21 dynamic, as soon as possible, move subject to a recovery 22 A. Okay. Q. And this might not be the sixth slide. I don't 23 position." 24 know. It's kind of -- it's the slide -- the second 24 Do you see that?

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A. Yes.

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Page 217 Page 219 1 diagnosing excited delirium. Or am I misreading that Q. "On side or seated upright." So what -- so the recovery position is -- is A. I -- I wrote that because if I don't -- if I 3 the person on their side or -- or seated; is that 4 remember, I was questioned about excited delirium at the 4 correct? IAD interview. A. Yes. According to the slide, yes. 5 Q. Okay. And, at least in this case, Mr. Timpa Q. And this statement is -- is dated August -- I'm was not in a recovery position prior to y'all moving him sorry -- April 7th of 2017; correct? A. Yes, I put -to the gurney; correct? MS. GOWIN: April 17th, I think. A. That is correct. 9 Q. I know that you've given, in addition to this 10 A. Yes, April 17th. Sorry. 10 11 August 16th statement and -- wait a minute. Let me get 11 Q. (By Mr. Addison) And so this would have been, 12 that -- August 15th, at least the date of the affidavit. I guess, nine months, roughly, after your first statement of -- of August of 2016? Do you recall if that was the date you did this 13 14 A. Yes. 14 affidavit, August 15th of 2016? 15 Q. And this was the first statement that you gave A. If it's dated that date, yes. 15 16 where you mentioned excited delirium; is that correct? Q. You also did at least two additional 16 17 A. That is correct. 17 statements. If you'll turn to Exhibit 19? Q. And you -- you mentioned excited delirium in 18 A. Yes. 18 this -- in this statement, you said, in response to an Q. This is a -- it's called a "Supplemental IA complaint? 20 Statement." Do you recall giving this supplemental 20 21 statement? 21 A. An IA investigation. 22 Q. And what -- I guess, what did you get from the A. Yes, I do. 22 IA investigation that prompted you to cite -- to write a Q. And in this supplemental statement -- I guess, 23 supplemental statement concerning excited delirium? 24 is that your signature at the bottom? 24 25 A. I'm trying to see if it states it in he're. 25 A. That is correct. Page 220 Page 218 Q. In the supplemental statement, you said, "Upon 1 They questioned me about excited delirium. 2 arrival to the scene, Mr. Timpa was somewhat coherent Q. And at that point, did they -- did you go back and review the slides from your excited delirium class and appeared to be having a psychotic episode." from the academy? 4 Do you see that? A. I think they did. I can't remember if they 5 A. Yes, I see it. 5 Q. Okay. And a psychotic episode, is that an did -- if that's when they -- yes. Yes. 6 7 excited delirium? Or would that be a part of an excited Q. And did you review them? delirium di- -- or determination when you get on the A. Yes. 8 Q. Okay. And then did you write this statement scene, a psychotic episode? A. I couldn't say. I -- since I can't diagnose after you reviewed the slides? 10 10 11 it. 11 A. Yes. Q. Okay. And I'm not asking you to diagnose it. 12 Q. Okay. And it says, "Mr. Timpa was not 13 I'm saying that you're trained on -- on what to do with unusually aggressive or unusually strong as seen in 13 14 a suspect when you suspect excited delirium; correct? other excited delirium situations." 14 A. Right. And at this moment, I have not -- I did 15 Do you see that? 15 16 not suspect Mr. Timpa to be in excited delirium. 16 A. Yes. 17 Q. Okay. So you said that he was somewhat 17 Q. And how many excited delirium situations have 18 coherent and appeared to have a -- be in a psychotic -you seen in the field? 19 or having a psychotic episode. A. Maybe -- that I was directly involved in, 19 And then the next sentence says, "During the 20 Mr. Timpa was the first one. 21 incident, I did not believe Mr. Timpa was in excited 21 Q. Have you seen any subsequent to Mr. Timpa? 22 delirium." 22

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Q. So when you say that "unusually aggressive or

unusually strong," I guess is that based on your

training or -- as opposed to experience?

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Do you see that?

Q. And that looks like you're -- you are

A. Yes.

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Page 221 Page 223 A. Yes. A. Chief Anderson. 1 Q. Okay. And then the next sentence says, Q. Chief Anderson. Okay. 3 "Mr. Timpa was asked on multiple occasions if any drugs And then I want to go to -- I believe at 3:16 3 had been used. Mr. Timpa never answered my questions." is when you start talking, and I just want to confirm. Do you see that? A. Okay. 5 A. Yes. (Discussion off the record.) 6 6 Q. Does excited delirium require drug use? 7 Q. (By Mr. Addison) I'm going to start it at 8 A. I am not aware if it is or does not. 3:11, and I believe you start talking at 3:16. I want Q. And if you'll go to Exhibit 20? to confirm that. A. (Complies.) 10 A. Okay. Q. This is a subsequent -- I guess it looks like 11 (Audio plays.) 11 Q. (By Mr. Addison) Do you hear that? 12 another supplemental statement you wrote on June 23rd of 12 13 13 2017. 14 Q. Is that -- is that your voice? 14 Do you see that? A. It sounds like me. 15 A. Yes. 15 O. Okay. Q. And this supplemental statement -- I guess, 16 16 A. The audio's kind of bad, but --17 what prompted you to write this supplemental statement? 17 Q. It's kind of low. Let me see if I can turn it A. I was questioned about my comments during the 18 up a little bit. That's as loud as it gets. 19 incident with Mr. Timpa. 19 Anyway, let's listen real quick and see if --Q. And so at this point, you were going -- or --20 21 or responding to the questions that were on the -- I 21 A. Okay. 22 guess the stuff you were saying on the video about --22 (Audio plays.) Q. (By Mr. Addison) Was that you? 23 23 Q. - making breakfast, eating waffles, and things 24 24 25 Q. Okay. And when you say "a bad agenda on the 25 of that nature? Page 222 Page 224 A. That is correct. news," what do you -- what are you referring to? Q. And I guess that was -- you were ultimately A. Just the bad stuff that's on the news about 2 police. 3 reprimanded for that conduct? 3 A. Yes, I was. (Audio plays.) Q. (By Mr. Addison) And so I guess -- I think Q. And I want to play the bureau command hearing. 6 Do you recall going to a bureau command hearing 6 that's pretty much it, but we -- so you said that you 7 regarding your conduct? didn't want to mock him and you didn't intend to A. Yes. belittle him; correct? 8 Q. And I want to play this, and I guess I'm A. That is correct. Q. But your -- your comments still did mock and 10 probably going to play it for a second, let you identify 10 11 who's speaking first, and then fast forward to where you 11 belittle him, didn't they? 12 start speaking. I believe you start speaking. I want 12 A. In retrospect. 13 to verify that. Okay? 13 Q. Is that a "yes" then? A. Okay. 14 A. Yes. 14 (Discussion off the record.) Q. Okay. And I guess that's why you would -- if 15 Q. (By Mr. Addison) All right. So I'm going to you were available -- I guess, if it was an available 16 17 start playing this. 17 option to you, you would apologize; is that correct? 18 A. Okay. 18 A. Yes, I would. 19 (Audio plays.) Q. And I guess that is what -- I guess they give 19 Q. (By Mr. Addison) And this sounds like the -you a letter of reprimand in your file; is that correct? 21 I guess the chief or whoever's --21 A. That is correct. 22 A. Yes. Q. I want to hand you --22 23 Q. -- running the meeting? MR. ADDISON: Hand me an exhibit sticker, 23 A. Chief. 24 24 Susan. 25 Q. Do you know who that is? 25 (Exhibit 37 marked.)

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Page 227 Page 225 Q. (By Mr. Addison) I'm going to mark this as 37 1 Dallas Police Department General Orders? 2 and have you take a look at this. It's titled "Sworn Q. And I know you talked briefly about the use of 3 Training Record." 3 force continuum earlier. Is restraint a use of force? A. Yes. Q. And have you ever seen this before? Q. And where on the use of force continuum is 6 Q. And do you know -- and what is -- what are we 7 restraint? A. It's --8 8 looking at here? MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague. 9 A. My training record. A. Restraint is -- it's an outcome of -- because Q. So -- and I guess this has a list of classes 10 of your use of force continuum. I mean, I can restrain 11 and hours, completion dates. What exactly are classes, somebody willingly, as I can restrain somebody who is 12 hours, completion dates? What are these referencing? not willing. A. How many hours the course -- the duration of Q. (By Mr. Addison) So the restraint, I guess, 14 the course, so how many days. And a completion date of 14 15 could be anywhere on the use of force continuum. It's 15 when it was actually completed. just a result of maybe a verbal command or something Q. So, like, if you go to the second page at the 17 very bottom, it says, "Recruit Basic Peace Officer like that? 18 A. It could be a by-product of the use of force 18 Course." continuum. 19 19 A. Yes. Q. How tall are you? 20 Q. Looks like Course Number 1000, completion date 20 21 A. Five, seven. 21 of 10/2/2013, and then 864? 22 Q. How much do you weigh? 22 23 A. Now I weigh 215. 23 Q. Is that the date you got done with police Q. Do you have any martial arts training? 24 academy, roughly? 24 A. Say it again. A. No. No. It was in December. Yes, December, I Page 228 Page 226 1 believe. Yes, December. I don't know, 10/2, if that's Q. Do you have any martial arts training? A. Just the military. 2 when we took our TCOLE certification test. Q. Where -- how -- when were you in the military? Q. So the 864 hours -- when did you start basic 3 4 training -- or police -- I'm sorry -- police academy? 4 What branch? A. Army. A. April. April. 5 Q. How long were you in the military? 6 Q. April? 6 A. I've been in the Army since 2008. 7 A. Yes, in April of 2013. 7 Q. Are you still in the Army? Q. And then you said, I guess, you became a -- a 8 police officer in December of 2013? A. I'm in the Army Reserve. O. And what do you do in the Army Reserve? A. That's when I graduated the basic academy. 10 A. Now, I am an observer coach/trainer. So I Q. And, I guess, is this -- so is this a list of 11 prepare and train units that are getting ready to deploy 12 all of the -- a list, as of whatever date this was to overseas operations. 13 printed, of all of the classes, all the TCOLE classes, Q. Do you train them in any combat, or is it 14 14 use of force classes, police academy classes, you had something else? 15 taken up until the date of this printing out? A. I train them in multiple aspects. So we are, A. Yes. 16 16 17 like, certifiers for the Department of the Army. So Q. Okay. And I know the last completion date on 17 18 here for a TCOLE use of force was 9/15 of 2016. any Reserve or National Guard unit will train in North Fort Hood, and we will certify that they are Do you see that? 19 20 ready to go for their overseas operations. That's an 20 A. That is correct. 21 extent of, you know, Counter-IED. You can do multiple Q. So prior to the interaction with Mr. Timpa, you reactive contacts and an -- an array of training. 22 would have had all the classes on here that are dated Q. Would -- I guess would that also include, I 23 prior to August 10th of 2016; correct? 24 guess, any sort of military police, MP? A. That would be correct. 24 A. No, we do not train any combat-oriented units. Q. Okay. And are you familiar with the 25 25

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Page 249 Page 251 1 verbatim word for word what I said, but somewhere along 1 And the recovery position -- and I guess the recovery 2 those lines. 2 position is either on their side or sitting up; correct? Q. And why was, I guess, Sergeant Mansell --A. Yes. 3 3 4 I guess, do you know why he said, "What the fuck"? Q. Is prone position, face down on the ground, is 5 that a recovery position? A. I guess he was shocked as well. I can only 6 assume -- that's what I assume. A. No, it's not. Q. And why were you shocked, I guess, that he 7 Q. Okay. And why not? MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for wasn't breathing when he was put in the ambulance? 9 speculation. Lack of foundation. Lack of personal A. Because at no point I believe Mr. Timpa to be 10 deceased or not breathing. 10 knowledge. 11 Q. And, I guess, once Mr. Timpa was -- was no A. I would assume because of -- to help them get 11 longer making noises on the video, did you do anything 12 on their side and easier access to air, according to the else to monitor his breathing after he stopped making 13 slides. 14 noise? Q. (By Mr. Addison) Okay. And, I guess, that --14 A. I went based on what I heard Officer Dillard 15 that's what I was asking is what -- what were you 15 say. He said, "Yeah, he's breathing." 16 trained? What do they teach you in training about that? Q. So I -- I guess, were you working on the 17 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague. 17 A. It's that -- what's in the slides. That -- you assumption that -- that Officer Dillard was monitoring 18 19 know, that if it's feasible and -- and if you can do it, 19 his breathing? 20 A. I would suppose so. 21 Q. Were you monitoring any -- any vitals for 21 Q. (By Mr. Addison) So, I guess, is it your 22 Mr. Timpa, other than his breathing? 22 understanding that your training taught you that it is 23 A. No. 23 potentially dangerous to have somebody handcuffed, 24 Q. And at any point, did you call for the gurney prone, face down? 25 to be brought over by Dallas Fire and Rescue to put him 25 A. I think --Page 250 Page 252 MS. GOWIN: Is that the question? Are you 1 on a gurney? 1 A. Not by myself -- by my personally, no. 2 done? Q. Do you know who called the -- I guess, told MR. ADDISON: Yes. 3 MS. GOWIN: Okay. Vague and incomplete 4 them to bring the gurney over? 4 A. I don't know. I just overheard that they hypothetical. 6 were bringing the gurney. I think it was between A. It could possibly be. 6 Officer Dominguez and Sergeant Mansell, but I'm not Q. (By Mr. Addison) Do you know what the term surc. 8 "hypoxic" means or "hypoxia"? Q. And during your restraint of Mr. Timpa, did 9 A. No, sir. Officer Mans- -- or I'm sorry -- did Sergeant Mansell, Q. I know that, in the video, your camera shuts I guess, tell you and -- and Officer Dillard to do 11 off when I -- I think it's -- somebody comes around anything or not do anything? 12 and says, "What the fuck." And then your camera turns 13 A. I can't recall him telling us anything. 13 off. Q. Do you recall him saying anything from the 14 14 Do you recall that? 15 moment you -- you and Mr. -- you and Officer Dillard get 15 A. Yes. 16 on top or -- or start to control Mr. Timpa, do you Q. Who was talking to you at that point? recall Sergeant Mansell saying anything to you? 17 A. Sergeant Mansell. 17 18 A. I believe he told me his name, or 1 -- I think Q. And what did you and Sergeant Mansell discuss 18 19 it was him telling me his full name. But I can't recall 19 after you turned the body cam off? if he told us anything. A. He told me that Mr. Timpa was no longer 20 20 21 Q. Everybody on the scene was using "Tony Timpa." 21 breathing. Do you recall that? Q. And, I guess, what was your response when he 22 22 23 A. Yes. 23 told you that? 24 Q. And, I guess, his name is Anthony Timpa, which A. I was shocked, and I told him, "What? We just 24

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25 put him in the ambulance." I couldn't say that that's

25 Tony is a -- the shortened version of that.

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Page 255 Page 253 Q. What does the general orders say about excited Do you know why everybody on the scene was 2 calling him Tony Timpa, as opposed to what his ID said, 2 delirium? MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague -- vague. 3 which was Anthony Timpa? 3 A. No. I -- I went with it because that's what I Overbroad. A. They say quite a bit. Some symptoms to look 5 got from Sergeant Mansell. out for and a lot of verbiage that I can't recall right Q. Another -- the comment -- and I don't recall if 7 you said who said it -- was somebody said, "No way 8 normal crazy." 8 Q. (By Mr. Addison) Give me a second. I'm going 9 to -- oh, here it is. Do you recall that, somebody --And then General Orders 905.00, are you A. I know, at one point, I said something along 10 familiar with that general order? 11 11 those lines. Q. Okay. And that's what I want to double-check. 12 A. If I look at it, perhaps. 12 13 So that's -- that was you saying, "No way this is normal 13 Q. And if you do, it's on Exhibit 2. MS. GOWIN: Are you sure? Exhibit 2? 14 crazy. This is" --14 MR. ADDISON: Yeah. 15 A. Yes. 15 Q. (By Mr. Addison) And go to Page 17. 16 Q. And who made the decision to change the cuffs 16 17 on the -- while he was on the ground? 17 A. Page 17. 17, yes. A. That was mine. 18 Q. And it says -- it's the second paragraph. Do Q. And did you consult anybody about that 19 you see that, "General Orders 905.00"? 20 decision, or was that your decision alone? 21 Q. It says, "Drug-Induced Psychosis/Excited A. That was my decision alone. 21 22 Delirium, Handling suspects exhibiting symptoms of Q. And, I guess, that -- also in the video, 22 Drug-Induced Psychosis/Excited Delirium or a Psychotic 23 I guess there's somebody in the background saying, Episode states, Subjects suffering from disorder -- this 24 "Zip cuffs back of vic." 25 disorder may collapse and die without warning, and are 25 Do you recall if you were saying that? Page 254 Page 256 1 subject to medical distress within an hour after being A. That's me. Q. And when you're saying, "the back of the vic," 2 restrained. Subjects will be placed in an upright 2 3 are you referring to a Crown Victoria? 3 position, if possible, or on their side as soon as A. No, to the vehicle. they're brought under control." Q. Okay. I didn't know if that was a shortened --5 Do you see that? 6 so "the vic" is a shortened term for vehicle? A. Yes. A. Yes. Q. And, I guess, were you subject to or were you -- are general orders something that you, as an Q. And, I guess, the zip cuffs that were put on officer, have to follow? 9 Mr. Timpa's legs, do you know if those came out of the 10 back of your vehicle? 10 A. Yes. Q. When you took the excited delirium course in A. I believe they did. I told them they were 11 12 there. Whether or not they got them from there, I don't the academy, do you recall who taught it? A. No, sir. No, I do not. 13 Q. Do you know if you've had any subsequent Q. Okay. Did you do any of the chest compressions 14 14 15 in the back of the ambulance? continuing education on excited delirium? 15 A. I can't recall taking any other class regarding 16 A. No, sir. 16 17 Q. Did you escort the ambulance to the hospital? 17 that. 18 A. No. sir. 18 Q. Did you have any involvement in drafting or Q. What did you and -- and Officer Dillard do preparing the custodial death report? 19 19 A. Sir, to be honest, I don't even know what that 20 after the ambulance left? 20 21 A. We stayed separated per -- I believe 21 is.

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mean, like --

22 Sergeant Mansell told us to be separated to -- because

23 Mr. Timpa, at that point, was -- you know, we were told

24 that Mr. Timpa was not breathing, so to stay separated,

25 not to leave the area.

Q. Do y'all train on those general orders? I

Q. I mean, that's probably a bad question.

A. What do you mean by that, sir?

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Page 257 Page 259 1 wasn't necessarily immediate; right? Do y'all like -- are you required to memorize MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for 2 or get a test on those general orders? 3 speculation. Incomplete hypothetical. Lack of A. Yes, during the academy. Q. And do those general orders ever change or get 4 foundation. A. I guess it could bc. added to? Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Okay. Could be a -- could A. Yes. 6 7 be a process; right? Q. And in which case, how do they inform the A. Perhaps. 8 officers of the additions? Q. And during that process, somebody might be able A. A -- what is it? A -- a log comes to the -- to 10 to make sounds or speak on some level, even though they 10 each division saying, "This is the new update" or "This still need additional oxygen; correct? 11 is new information." And we all have to sign off saying 11 MS. GOWIN: Object -- objection. Calls for 12 12 we have read it and are aware of it. speculation. Lack of foundation. Lack of personal Q. Do you recall if the General Order 905, on 13 14 the drug-induced psychosis, was in effect prior to knowledge. Incomplete hypothetical. 15 you joining or -- or starting of the academy, or was 15 A. Perhaps. Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) And, again, you had that 16 A. I don't know the exact date of when that came 17 understanding in 2016; correct? 17 18 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Incomplete 18 out. 19 hypothetical. Calls for speculation. Lack of Q. Do you recall learning about the general order 19 foundation. Lack of personal knowledge. 20 while you were at the academy? 21 A. Yes. A. Perhaps. I can't recall exactly if they went 21 22 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Did you ever ask Mr. Timpa over the general order or not, but... 23 if he could breathe? 23 MR. ADDISON: I'll pass the witness. A. I don't recall doing so, no. 24 MS. GOWIN: I don't have any. 24 25 Q. Did you ever hear anyone else ask Mr. Timpa if MS. HUTCHISON: I have some follow-up. 25 Page 260 Page 258 1 he could breathe? **FURTHER EXAMINATION** A. I do not recall hearing anyone. 2 BY MS. HUTCHISON: Q. Part of your responsibility, as a sworn peace Q. So you have never been informed that, as a 4 officer, is, if you see another officer doing something 4 result of Mr. Timpa's death, you needed any new or 5 wrong, to inter- -- is to intervene; correct? 5 different training; correct? A. Correct. A. No, sir -- no, ma'am. Sorry. 6 Q. You have that responsibility; right? Q. And, as far as you're aware, neither you nor 7 8 any of the other officers involved have received new or different training as a result of Mr. Timpa's death; Q. And if you don't -- if you see somebody else 10 doing something that's wrong and you don't intervene, 11 then you are not acting in accordance with your sworn 11 A. Yeah, I'm not aware of any other training. Q. You understand that people can suffocate 12 duty as a peace officer; correct? 12 13 A. Correct. MS. GOWIN: Objection. Calls for Q. You would agree with me you -- you learned 14 14 15 about the constitutionality of your conduct in the 15 speculation. Lack of personal knowledge. Lack of 16 foundation. academy; correct? 16 MS. GOWIN: Objection. Vague. Confusing. 17 A. I don't know personally. 17 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) Oh, you haven't seen 18 Q. (By Ms. Hutchison) That it has to -- that 19 anything like where a miner goes down in a mine shaft, 19 you have to act in accordance with the constitution; 20 and there's no oxygen, and it's a slow process of death? 20 right? A. I haven't seen it. I've heard of it. 21 A. Yes. Q. Okay. And you'd heard of that kind of thing in Q. And that you cannot violate people's 22 22 23 constitutional rights; correct? 23 2016; right? 24 A. Possibly. 24 A. That is correct. 25 Q. So you were aware that death by asphyxiation 25 Q. And that includes with respect to the use of